

Jackson-George Regional Library System

Four Generation Chart

Charlotte Marie Edwards

1

You

Born 13 Oct 1935
Where Clarkdale, Arizona
Married 29 Jul 1952
Where Salome, Arizona

2 Willis H. Edwards

Father

Born 14 Jun 1907
Where Sheldon, Arizona
Married 24 Dec 1934
Where Prescott, Arizona
Died 7 Mar 1973
Where Prescott, Arizona

3 Dorothy L. Owenby

Mother

Born 1 Apr 1913
Where Jerome, Arizona
Died 6 Jul 1996
Where Safford, Arizona

4 Charley C. Edwards

Grandfather

Born 26 Jul 1884
Where Uvalde Co., Texas
Married 7 Jul 1906
Where Steeple Rock, New Mexico
Died 7 Jun 1957
Where Prescott, Arizona

5 Minnie Holder

Grandmother

Born 19 Sep 1888
Where New Mexico
Died 3 Nov 1963
Where Prescott, Arizona

6 Thomas Roy Owenby

Grandfather

Born 27 Mar 1888
Where Trinidad, Colorado
Married 26 Apr 1910
Where Flagstaff, Arizona
Died 26 Aug 1967
Where Prescott, Arizona

7 Helene Schuerman

Grandmother

Born 27 Apr 1891
Where Sedona, Arizona
Died 6 Jul 1962
Where Prescott, Arizona

William N. Edwards

8

Great-grandfather

Born 21 Feb 1828
Where Arkansas
Married abt 1858, Texas
Where
Died 24 Dec 1907, Arizona
Where

9 Sarah Jane Hester

Great-grandmother

Born 7 Oct 1844
Where Mississippi
Died 12 Sep 1936
Where Duncan, Arizona

10 Willis W. Holder

Great-grandfather

Born 12 Nov 1854
Where Turnerville, Mississippi
Married 4 Dec 1878
Where
Died Ocean Springs, Mississippi
Where 3 Aug 1942, Corona, Cali

11 Susan Etta Ramsey

Great-grandmother

Born 6 Jul 1857
Where Ocean Springs, Miss.
Died 16 Feb 1935
Where Corona, California

12 Frank A. Owenby

Great-grandfather

Born 4 Apr 1854
Where Cherokee Co., North Caro
Married 25 Dec 1879
Where
Died Waresville, Texas
Where 21 Aug 1937, Arizona

13 Nancy Ann Ware

Great-grandmother

Born 7 Mar 1862
Where Waresville, Texas
Died 24 May 1948
Where Cottonwood, Arizona

14 Henry Schuerman

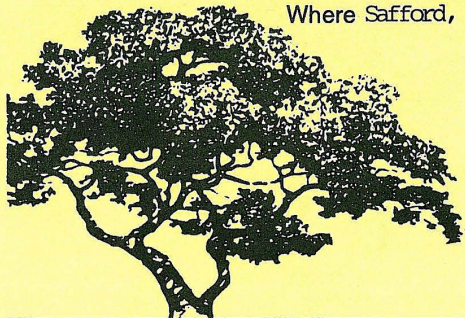
Great-grandfather

Born 17 Mar 1852
Where Melle, Hannover, Germany
Married 29 Jun 1884, New York
Where
Died 26 Oct 1920
Where Sedona, Arizona

15 Doretta Schuerman

Great-grandmother

Born 11 Jul 1855
Where Melle, Hannover, Germany
Died 4 Aug 1940
Where Sedona, Arizona



Climbing Your Family Tree: Where to Start?

If you are interested in beginning to learn more about your ancestors, this four generation chart will help you get started. Additional charts and forms may be picked up in the Genealogy and Local History Department of the Jackson-George Regional Library System, located in the Pascagoula Public/Regional Headquarters Library.

GETTING STARTED

1) Four Generation Chart

Fill out this chart. Estimate dates and places if necessary.

2) Select an Ancestor

Circle the name of one ancestor you would like to learn more about. If possible, select an ancestor who was born in 1910 or before (most of the library's records date from 1910 backward).

3) Start at Home

Find out all you can at home from your immediate family and other relatives before you come to the library.

4) Family History Vertical Files

Check the library's family history Vertical Files. Some research may have already been done.

5) Census Records

Look first for the county and state where your ancestor was born or married. Check the census indices for that time period and locality, then view that census microfilm.

6) Check the surname file in the Genealogy and Local History Department. You may find someone else tracing the same family lines to correspond with and share information and resources.

Want to learn more about how to climb your family tree? Read some of the following:

Black Genealogy by Charles L. Blockson

Finding Our Fathers -- a Guide Book to Jewish
Genealogy by Dan Rottenberg

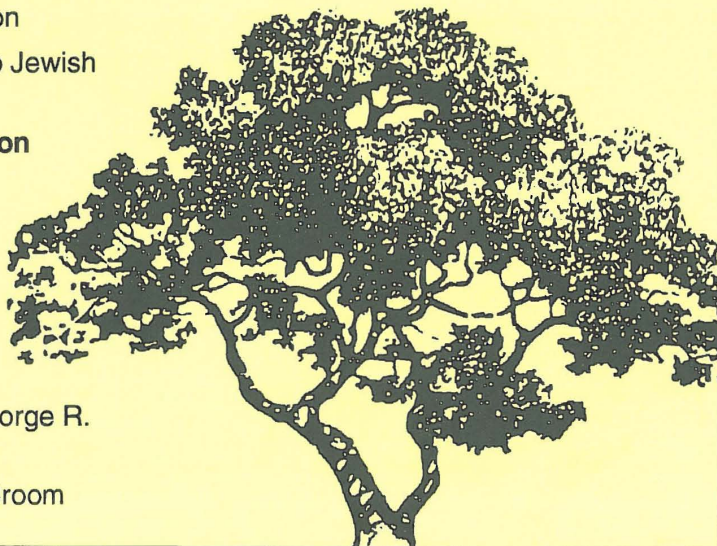
Genealogy as a Pastime and Profession
by Donald Linus Jacobus

**The Researcher's Guide to American
Genealogy** by Val D. Greenwood

Tracing Your Ancestry by F. Wilbur
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Tracing Your Hispanic Heritage by George R.
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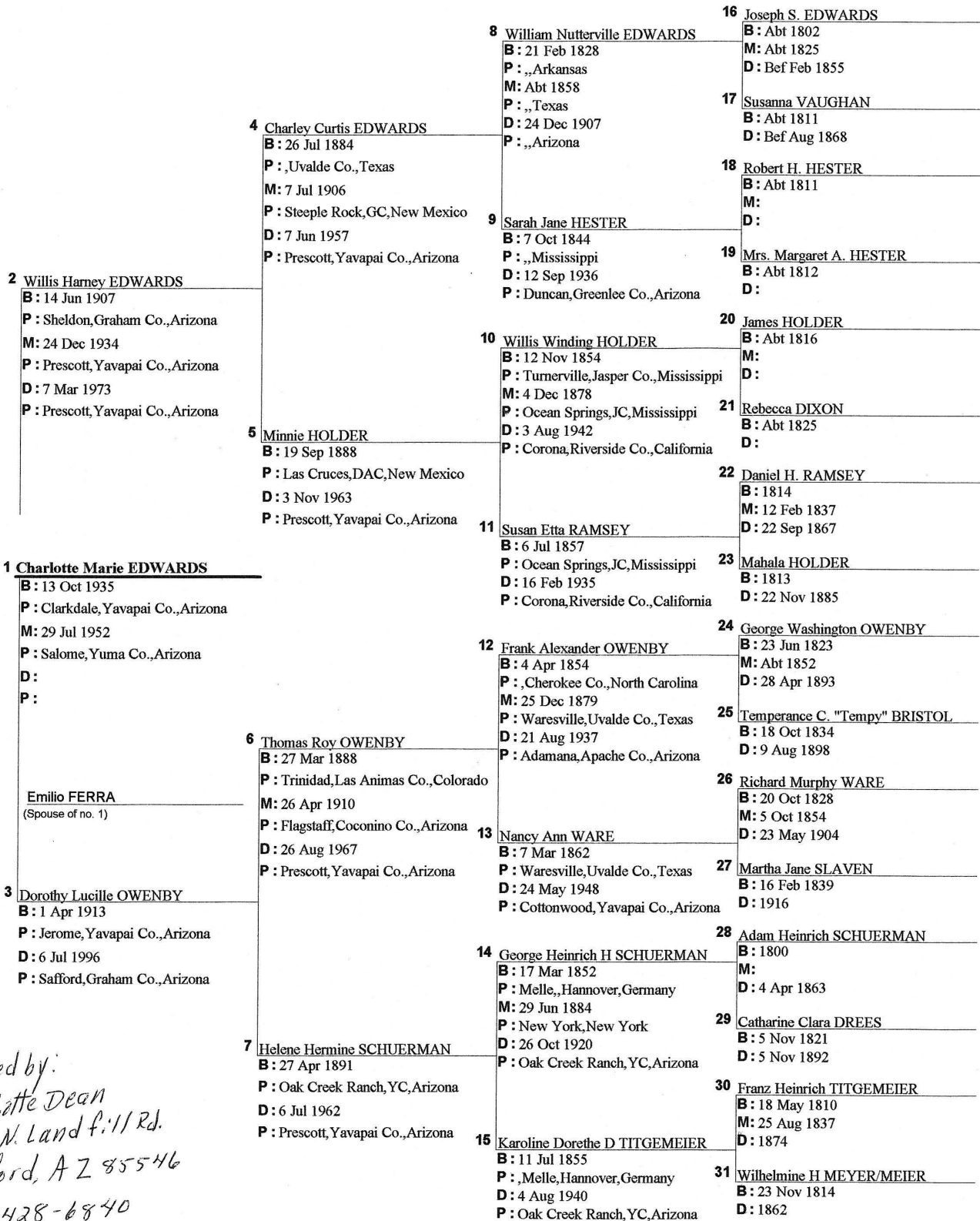
Unpuzzling Your Past by Emily Anne Croom



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Pedigree Chart

Chart no. 1



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FAMILY GROUP No. 2 Husband's Full Name **David Edwards, Jr.**

This Information Obtained From:

Husband's Data	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on H
Estate papers in Amite Co., Miss. Ct. House of David Edwards Jr. - Census - Marriage records - Amite Co., Marion Co., Wilkin- son Co., Miss. Various Census	Birth			probably born Winton, Barnwell, S.C.			
Will of David, Sr. - Will of William Turner, brother of Elizabeth Turner who was living Lawrence Co. and d. without children. (discrepancy in spelling in Est. papers)	Chr'nd						
Compiler E.P. Snyder	Mar.						
Address 3742 Ridgemont Dr. City, State B. R., La. 70814	Death	ca. 1823		Amite County, Miss.			
Date March 1983	Burial						
Places of Residence	S.C. and Amite Co., Miss. (LIVED NEAR MARSH HILL, MS.)						
Occupation	Church Affiliation Baptist Military Rec.						
Other wives, if any, No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.							
His Father David Edwards, Sr. Mother's Maiden Name							

Wife's Data	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on W
Wife's Full Maiden Name Elizabeth Turner	Birth	1760-1770					
ren. (discrepancy in spelling in Est. papers)	Chr'nd						
Compiler E.P. Snyder	Death						
Address 3742 Ridgemont Dr. City, State B. R., La. 70814	Burial						
Date March 1983	Barnwell Co., S.C. & Amite Co., Miss.						
Occupation if other than Housewife	Church Affiliation						
Other husbands, if any, No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.							
Her Father	Mother's Maiden Name						

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on C
1)	John Edwards	Birth	ca. 1790					S.C.	
2)	Martha Stephens	Mar.	1st: 1813			Marion Co, Miss.; 2nd: 1820	Amite Co.		
	Elizabeth B. Eppes	Death	Nov. 1854						
2)	Matthew Edwards	Burial				Probably Copiah Co., Miss.			
	Carruth?	Birth	ca. 1791					S.C.	
		Mar.							
		Death				Lived Amite County, Miss. - Wilkinson			
		Burial				Co. too(?) IN EBR, LA 1860.			
3)	Jesse (ELDRIDGE.)	Birth						S.C.	
	MARY E. JOHNSON	Mar.	Many descants			Lived East Baton Rouge Parish, La.,			
	MARY ERWIN	Death				But I believe he moved back to Miss.			
	1831 CO. MS	Burial				(I'm not sure of middle name) - Know I saw it(?)			
4)	David Edwards, Jr.	Birth						S.C.	
		Mar.				(This is a second "Jr"!)			
		Death				Lived Leake Co., Miss.			
		Burial							
5)	Rachel Edwards	Birth						S.C.	
	Jonathan Humphreys	Mar.				(lived Simpson Co., Miss.)			
		Death							
		Burial							
6)	Elizabeth Edwards	Birth	ca. 1799					S.C.	
		Mar.							
		Death				(lived Amite Co., Miss.)			
		Burial							
7)	Achsah/Aixey	Birth	ca. 1806					S.C.	
		Mar.							
		Death							
		Burial							
8)	Ellison Edwards	Birth	ca. 1807			conflict on birth --- Miss.? S.C.?			
1)	Carruth?	Mar.				(lived Holmes Co., Miss.)			
2)	Mrs. Sorrells?	Death							
		Burial							
9)	Elcy/Ailey Edwards	Birth	ca. 1811					S.C.	
		Mar.				(lived Amite Co., Miss.)			
		Death							
		Burial							
10)	Joseph Edwards	Birth	ca. 1813???						
		Mar.							
		Death				(Lived Amite Co., Miss.)			
	Margaret Johnson	Burial				Moved to Pike Co. about 1873			

*If married more than once No. each mar. (1) (2) etc., and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.

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FAMILY GROUP No. 4 **Husband's Full Name** David Edwards Sen.

This Information Obtained From: Will of David Edwards Sen.
Birth ca. 1791 **City, Town or Place** (made will 14 June 1790- will recorded 16th Feb. 1791)
Chr'd
Mar.
Death ca. 1791 **County or Province, etc.** Winton Co. - Barnwell Dist., S.C.
Burial 16th Feb. 1791 **State or Country**
Places of Residence Winton Co. - Barnwell Dist., S.C.
Occupation Planter **Church Affiliation** **Military Rec.**
Other wives, if any, No. (1) (2) etc.
Make separate sheet for each mar.
His Father JESE? **Mother's Maiden Name** ELLISON?

Passports through
Georgia

Wife's Full Maiden Name

Wife's Data	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on W
Birth							
Chr'd							
Death							
Burial							

Compiler Edwina Snyder

Places of Residence

Address 3742 Ridgemont

Occupation if other than Housewife

Church Affiliation

City, State B. R., La.

Other husbands, if any, No. (1) (2) etc.

Make separate sheet for each mar.

Date March, 1983-70814

Her Father

Mother's Maiden Name

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Ch
1	<u>Richard</u> Full Name of Spouse*	Birth				given one shilling in will and			
		Mar.				he and his heirs otherwise disinherited			
		Death							
		Burial							
2	<u>Victor</u> Full Name of Spouse*	Birth				Am in contact lived in Amite Co., Miss aand then			
		Mar.				1984 with RE lived in Lawrence Co. Miss.			
		Death				SEARCHER FROM THIS LINE			
	<u>Mary Turner</u>	Burial				(Mary was sister to Elizabeth Turner, below.)			
3	<u>Theophilus</u> Full Name of Spouse*	Birth							
		Mar.				(lived in Amite Co., Miss. - might have lived			
		Death				later in Franklin Co., Miss.)			
		Burial							
4	<u>David, Jr.</u> Full Name of Spouse*	Birth							
		Mar.				(parents of John Edwards of Copiah Co., Miss.			
		Death				ca. 1823 Amite Co., Miss.			
	<u>Elizabeth Turner</u>	Burial							
5	<u>Joshua</u> Full Name of Spouse*	Birth							
		Mar.							
		Death							
		Burial							
6	<u>Nancy</u> Full Name of Spouse*	Birth							
		Mar.							
		Death							
		Burial							
7	<u>Full Name of Spouse*</u>	Birth							
		Mar.							
		Death				These children of David Edwards, Sen. are			
		Burial				not in the order of birth - I do not			
8	<u>Full Name of Spouse*</u>	Birth				know the order of birth - perhaps Joshua			
		Mar.				was the oldest since he (and "ancy) were			
		Death				mentioned in the will first.			
		Burial							
9	<u>Full Name of Spouse*</u>	Birth							
		Mar.							
		Death							
		Burial							
10	<u>Full Name of Spouse*</u>	Birth							
		Mar.							
		Death							
		Burial							

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FAMILY GROUP No. 24 Husband's Full Name **John Edwards**

This Information Obtained From: **marriage records** Birth **ca. 1790** City, Town or Place **S.C.** State or Country **S.C.** Add. Info. on Husband
Census Chr'nd
Probate papers of Mar. **16 Nov 1820** Amite Co. Miss.
David Edwards, Jr. Death **Nov. 1854** Copiah Co. Miss.
of Amite Co., Miss. Burial **Copiah Co. Miss.**
Probate papers of Places of Residence **Barnwell S.C. & Amite & Copiah Co.'s, MS.**
John Edwards in Occupation **Farmer** Church Affiliation **Military Rec.**
Copiah Co., Miss. Other wives, if any, No. (1) (2) etc. **1) Martha Stephens**
Record Vault. His Father **David Edwards, Jr.** Mother's Maiden Name **Elizabeth Turner**

Research and family interviews of other Edwards genealogist- **Virginia Ziegler,**
Susan Anthony & Lorraine Bowes
 Compiler **E.P. Snyder** Places of Residence **Newberry, S.C & Amite & Copiah Co.'s, MS.**
 Address **3742 Ridgemont** Occupation if other than Housewife **Church Affiliation**
 City, State **B.R., La. 70814** Other husbands, if any, No. (1) (2) etc. **none**
 Date **March 1983** Her Father **James Baugh Eppes** Mother's Maiden Name **Sarah Finch**

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Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
1	James David Full Name of Spouse* Annie Talitha Brown	Birth Mar. Death Burial	26	June	1822				
2	John Jackson Full Name of Spouse* (1) Mary E. Johnson	Birth Mar. Death Burial	7	Apr	1824				
3	Edwards Finch Edward Full Name of Spouse*	Birth Mar. Death Burial	4	Jan	1826				
4	Sarah Elizabeth Full Name of Spouse* John Temple	Birth Mar. Death Burial	2	Feb.	1828				
5	Jesse Madison Full Name of Spouse*	Birth Mar. Death Burial	2	Dec.	1830				
6	Nancy Marget Full Name of Spouse* James W. Pierce	Birth Mar. Death Burial	17	Sept.	1833				
7	Harriet E. Full Name of Spouse* William R. Temple	Birth Mar. Death Burial	1839-		1840				
8	Full Name of Spouse*	Birth Mar. Death Burial							
9	Full Name of Spouse*	Birth Mar. Death Burial							
10	Full Name of Spouse*	Birth Mar. Death Burial							

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HUSBAND		James W. EDWARDS		Occupation		farmer	
Born		c. 1841		Place			
Chr.				Place			
Marr.		12-27-1864		Place		CLARK Co. ALA.	
Died				Place			
Bur.				Place			
Father				Mother			
Other Wives							
WIFE		ELIZA TRUITT					
Born		c. 1844		Place		S.C.	
Chr.				Place			
Died				Place		Geo. Co. MS.	
Bur.				Place			
Father		William H TRUITT		Mother		ALICEY	
Other Husbands							
Children	Sex	When Born When Died	Where Born Where Died	Marriage Date & Place To Whom			
1 RATANIA?	F	1866					
2 John T.		1870					
3 Jesse M.							
4 William J.							
5 ELISHA		1878					
6 ALICEY		1880		LEONARD JACKSON RUSH			
7							
8							
9							
10							
11							
12							
13							
14							
15							
Sources of Information				Other Marriages			
GRANDPARENTS OF OLLIE GRAY							
CENSUS-							

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ANCESTRY CHART

NO 1 ON THIS CHART
IS THE SAME AS NO _____

ON CHART NO _____

2 Arthur Edwards

BORN 6 Sept 1907

WHERE Zeiglerville, Yazoo Co, MS

WHEN MARRIED 1 Dec 1930/10 Aug 1935

DIED 25 Feb 1979

WHERE Jackson, MS

1 Barbara Edwards Rupert

BORN 28 Jun 1936

WHERE Pickens, Holmes Co., MS

WHEN MARRIED 17 Oct 1964

DIED

WHERE

William LeRoy Rupert

NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

3 Dorothy Pinnix Edwards

BORN 16 Jul 1918

WHERE Hattiesburg, Forrest Co., MS

DIED

WHERE

Barbara E. Rupert

NAME

2497 Cornwall Dr.

STREET ADDRESS OR P O

Mobile, OH 45385

CITY STATE & ZIP CODE

4 Arthur Edward Edwards

BORN 30 Jul 1888

WHERE Leesburg, Scott Co., MS

WHEN MARRIED 1 Apr 1906

DIED 4 Jan 1975

WHERE Lexington, Holmes Co

5 Sarah Margaret Savell

BORN 5 Dec 1890

WHERE Leake Co., MS

DIED 14 Sept 1976

WHERE Lexington, Holmes Co

6 Joseph Ollif Pinnix

BORN c. 1899

WHERE

WHEN MARRIED

DIED c. 1936

WHERE

7 Bertie Lucille Byrd Pinnix

BORN 22 Sept 1899

WHERE Florence, Rankin Co., MS

DIED 28 Feb 1984

WHERE Jackson, Hinds Co., MS

8 Joseph Edwards

BORN Jan 1860 (1900 census)

WHERE AL/Scott Co, MS ?

WHEN MARRIED 1840

DIED c. 1903

WHERE Midway, MS ?

9 Cornelia May Edwards

BORN Oct 1859 (1900 census)

WHERE MS

DIED 8 Apr 1934

WHERE Midway, Holmes Co., MS

10 Edward Osborne Savell

BORN Feb 1856

WHERE MS

WHEN MARRIED 1876

DIED Apr 1913

WHERE

11 Lamantha Lillian Barrett Savell

BORN MS 7 Feb 1859

WHERE Neshoba Co., MS

DIED 21 Feb 1951

WHERE Pickens, Holmes Co., MS

12 J. A. Pinnix

BORN

WHERE Germany

WHEN MARRIED

DIED

WHERE

13 Carrie Davis

BORN

WHERE

DIED

WHERE

14 Issac Calvin Byrd

BORN 187

WHERE Rankin Co, MS

15 Acenith Elizabeth Harrison

BORN

WHERE

DIED

WHERE

16 William Joseph Edwards

BORN

WHERE

DIED

WHERE

17 Caroline Kite Edwards

2nd husband was Dan Strickland Macajur May

18 Catherine Blalock May

19 John A. Savell

20 Judith E. "Betty" Osborne Savell

21 William Grant Barrett

22 Harriet Young Barrett

23 Pinnix

24 Davis

25 Byrd

26 John Benton Harrison

27 Annie Eliz. Dear Harrison

28 Hattiesburg, Forrest Co., MS

29 Hattiesburg, Forrest Co., MS

30 Hattiesburg, Forrest Co., MS

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NAME	BIRTH DATE	TO WHOM MARRIED AND DATE	DEATH DATE
Nannie B. Thornton Bailey <i>Grandmother</i>	Sept. 26, 1903	William E. Bailey, May 8, 1923. <i>Grandfather</i>	
Name of Parent Leona C. Lewis <i>Grand grandmother</i>	Dec. 8, 1861	Marion W. Thornton November 21st, 1879 <i>Grand grandfather</i>	She died July 6, 1922.
Name of Grandparent Elizabeth Ann Powers Blackman <i>Grand Great Grandmother</i>	Mar. 26, 1821.	J. J. Blackman First June 2, 1836. John Lewis Second Sept. 10, 1849 He died June 15, 1892.	He died Oct. 15, 1843. She died Dec. 27, 1892.
Name of G. Grandparent Elizabeth Edwards daughter of John Edwards. <i>Grand Great Grandmother</i>	1787 1787	Sennett L. Powers. Don't know marriage date.	Don't know death date of either.
John Edwards Name of G. G. Grandparent John Edwards son of Thomas Edwards and brother of Robert Edwards. <i>Grand Great Grandfather</i>	1752 1727	Married Mary Walker, June <i>Elizabeth Nichols</i>	Don't know death date of either.
Name of G. G. G. Grandparent Thomas Edwards <i>Grand Great Grandfather</i>	Oct. 14, 1690	Married Isabelle Dowing or Downing, Mar. 17, 1714. <i>Grand Great Grandfather</i>	Don't know death date of either.
Name of G. G. G. G. Grandparent			

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Ancestor Chart

Name of Compiler Pauline Entrekin
Address 123 Mary Street
City, State Ocean Springs, Ms., 39564
Date 29 April 1978

Person No. 1 on this chart is the same person as No. _____ on chart No. _____.

Chart No. _____

b. Date of Birth
p.b. Place of Birth
m. Date of Marriage
d. Date of Death
p.d. Place of Death

4 **David Lemuel ENTREKIN**
(Father of No. 2)
b. 8 April 1862
p.b. near Purvis, Miss
m. 1 Jan 1882, Jackson Co.
d. 16 Feb 1945
p.d. Baptist Mission Homes

2 **William Lonnie ENTREKIN**
(Father of No. 1)
b. 22 May 1896
p.b. Ocean Springs, Miss
m. 23 Dec 1918, Pascagoula, Ms
d. 26 Dec 1945
p.d. Ocean Springs, Miss.

5 **Frances Annie Elizabeth PERRY**
(Mother of No. 2)
b. 1855
p.b. from Purvis
d. 10 March 1920
p.d. Perkinston, Miss.

Calvin Woodrow ENTREKIN
b. 28 Dec 1926
p.b. VanCleave, Miss, Jackson Co.
m. (2) 21 Dec 1956
d.
p.d.

6 **Albert SMITH GILL**
(Father of No. 3)
b. 18 May 1872
p.b. Jackson County, Miss (Forrest)
m. 2 May 1900, Pascagoula, Ms
d. 28 MARCH 1951
p.d. Jackson Co. Ms. VanCleave

3 **Viola GILL**
(Mother of No. 1)
b. 6 Mar 1901
p.b. Gautier, Miss.
d. 15 MAR 1979
p.d. Ocean Springs Miss

7 **Mary Olivia MASON**
(Mother of No. 3)
b. 17 Mar 1886
p.b. Lamar Co. Ms. (Pascagoula)
d. 17 Dec 1962
p.d. Jackson, Ms.

Pauline Louise HOWARD
(Spouse of No. 1)
b. 9 Jan 1932
p.b. Kansas City, Mo. p.d.

8 **Thomas Geather ENTREKIN**
(Father of No. 4)
b. 22 Sep 1820
p.b. Miss
m. 14 Feb 1845, HarCo Ms.
d. 23 Nov 1892
p.d. Purvis, Miss

9 **Julia Josephine HUDSON**
(Mother of No. 4)
b. 28 Nov 1830
p.b. Jefferson Co, Ms.
d. 31 Aug 1866
p.d. Runnelstown, Ms.

10 **Stephen PERRY**
(Father of No. 5)
b. 1819
p.b. Jasper Co. Ms. ??
m. 3 July 1856, Clarke Co. Ms.
d. c. 1877
p.d.

11 **Susan Elizabeth SMITH**
(Mother of No. 5)
b. 1834
p.b. Alabama
d. 1914?
p.d.

12 **Henry GILL**
(Father of No. 6)
b. 1828
p.b. Miss s.
m. c. 1850
d.
p.d.

13 **Martha Louise WHITEHEAD**
(Mother of No. 6)
b. 1833-5
p.b. Miss or La
d. c. 1879
p.d.

14 **Thomas J. MASON**
(Father of No. 7)
b. Nov 1850
p.b. Ms
m. 1 Mar 1881, Jackson Co. Ms.
d. 5 Mar 1918
p.d. Jackson Co. Ms.

15 **Martha Anne TANNER**
(Mother of No. 7)
b. 1859
p.b. MA
d. c. 1888
p.d. Purvis

16 **John Bryant ENTREKIN**
(Father of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. 1801 Georgia
m. c. 1819
d. c. 1865

17 **Matilda STANFORD**
(Mother of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. 1801, Georgia
d. 3 Apr 1870 JaxCo Ms.

18 **Allen HUDSON**
(Mother of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. 23 Jan 1805, Kentucky
m. Nov 1827
d.

19 **Frances Rulner Ann FLAHERTY**
(Mother of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b.
d. 14 June 1843

20 **Jacob PERRY**
(Father of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. Fm. N. Car
m.
d. 1836 Hinds Co. Ms.

21 **Obedience LEE**
(Mother of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. 1796
d. (Hinds Co. Ms. *may be buried there*)

22 **John SMITH**
(Father of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. 1807 Alabama
m.
d.

23 **Elizabeth**
(Mother of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. 1810 Alabama
d.

24 **Lewis GILL**
(Father of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. 1792, Ga
m. 26 Dec 1826, Lawrence Co. Ms
d.

25 **Mary MIXON**
(Mother of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. 1802, Ga
d.

26 **WHITEHEAD**
(Father of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. 7 Jan 1840?
m. 7 Jan 1840?

27 **Hannah GRIFFIN**
(Mother of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. Miss?
d. before 1855

28 **Ms**
(Father of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. Ms
m.

29 **Catherine**
(Mother of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. Oct 1830 Ms
d.

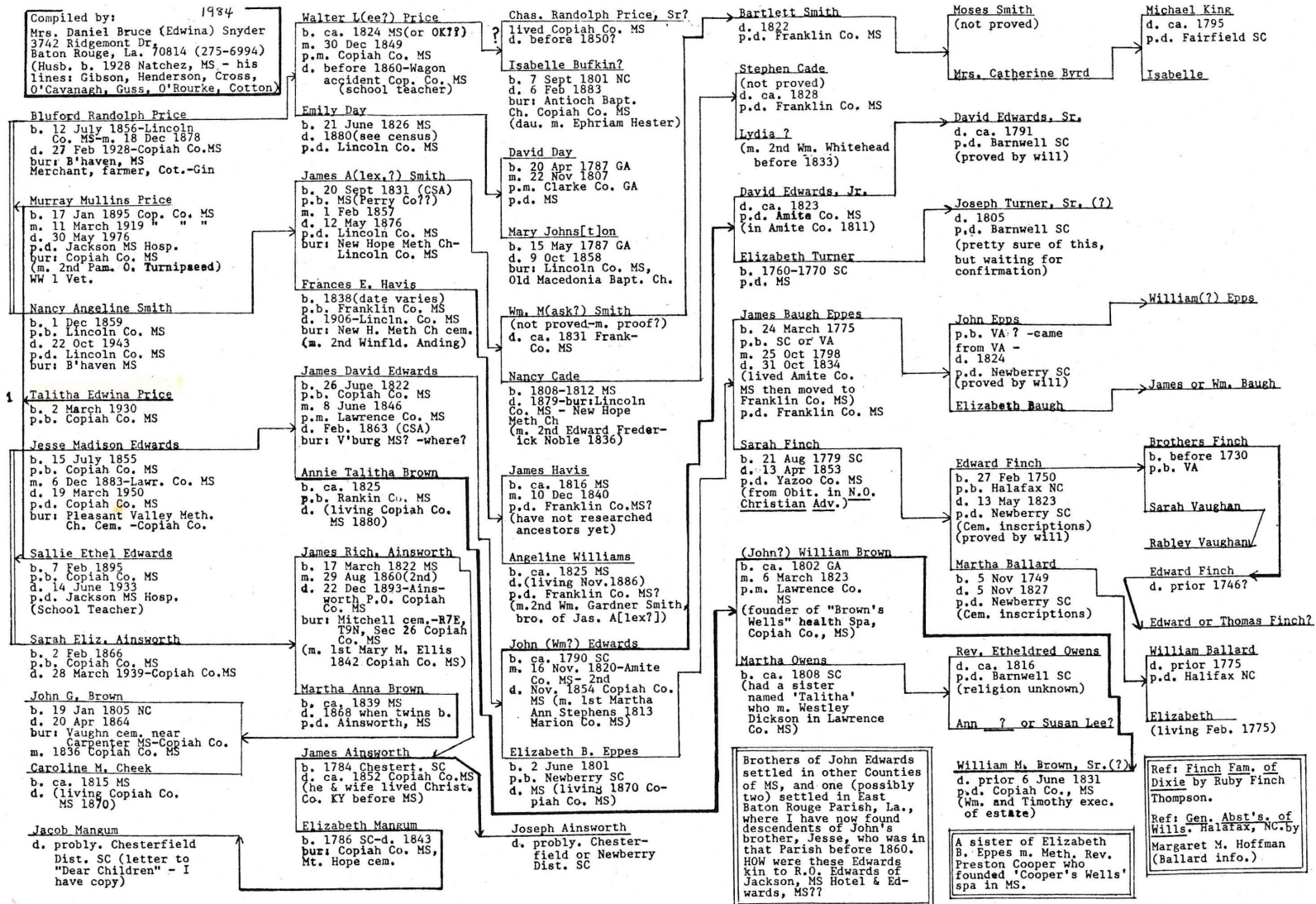
30 **Christopher TANNER**
(Father of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. 1815 SCAR
m.

31 **MARY GALLOWAY**
(Mother of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. _____)
b. 1820 Miss
d. Gulfport

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Group Sheet: P0001
Compiler: Patricia Nicholson Edwards
Date: 9 March 1987

Name Laroy Hobson EDWARDS
B./Place 22 Aug. 1940 Richton, MS
M./Place 28 Aug. 1961 Perry Co., MS
D./Place Living
Other Sp. None
Father Lynn Hobson Edwards
Mother Myrtle Louise Odom
Ref. Personal knowledge

Spouse Information

Name Patricia Jean Nicholson
B./Place 17 Oct. 1940 Quantico, VA
D./Place Living
Other Sp. None
Father Millard L. Nicholson
Mother Hazel J. Barfield
Ref. Personal knowledge

Children Information

1. Corey Nicholas b. 26 Sept. 1968 Orlando, FL. (adopted)

Comments

Roy & Pat are now living in Napa, CA and are active members of the Calvary (Southern) Baptist Church. Pat taught school in MS, VA, & CA; but left this profession several years ago. She is now an active, amateur genealogist. Her area of interest is SE MS & she has helped collect data & publish books on this area. Roy is a Research Chemist with the Ortho division of Chevron Chemicals in Richmond, CA. He has a PHD from the University of Southern MS in Hattiesburg & is a Baptist Deacon. His hobby is computer programing.

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Jan. 23, 1987
Edwina Price Snyder
3742 Ridgemont Dr.
Baton Rouge, La. 70814

Dear Patricia,

I started typing up all this for you a couple months ago and never finished and mailed to you. I just thought you'd like a look at some of this for your own benefit. You had sent me many pages of yours and your husbands family descent, which I have temporarily mis-placed, but know I can find.

We still have not gotten any further back than David Edwards, Sr. and Joseph Turner, Sr. - or Rev. Etheldred Owens. We see much evidence that perhaps David Edwards, Jr. was in Newberry Co., SC, before Barnwell. (There was another David Edwards in Newberry whose descendents went to Ohio - and Indiana) If we have the right David in Newberry, then one, at least of his wives was named Jane. We have many land transactions from Barnwell concerning David Edwards and Joseph Turner - some extracted and some xeroxed.

I still believe there were other children of David Edwards, Sr. ...
My grandfather certainly ~~listed~~ ^{MENTIONED} more than found in David Edwards, Sr.'s will.

I borrowed many issues of Family Trees from a co-researcher living near me. I plan to subscribe. I'm impressed. They publish for \$23.00 about (more or less) 52 issues per year and I've seen many of the people I've corresponded with advertising in these. Also, the editor often gives hints and in some cases actually does some research for advertisers! She seems well versed on old history and laws and shares this, too, with the subscribers. It is not just confined to Ga.

I have quite a gang of people helping with our Edwards/Turner lineages. You wouldn't believe how many who were 'off springs' of this family, too, including Wilsons and Harvestons. James M. Perrin, Past Pres. of La. Society is one. Bill Bailey (of here) involved deeply with La. Archives, is one. Claude Slaton of Clinton, La. who has, and continuing on others has published "Carter Papers" is one and he owns a huge chart (about 12 foot X 12 foot) that once someone drew up of the many Edwards who claimed the N.Y. Property in late 1800's and early 1900's. His chart, however is NOT correct on our mutual Edwards (Claude and mine). The La. Archives has microfilmed this chart in parts, but understand hard to put together...it is also hand written in very small writing. This chart used to hang in a public building in Livingston Parish, La. Then there is Lorriane Bowes, Jim Lain and his sister, Jeannette Swafford, Virginia Ziegler - you name them.

I have documented many of our Edwards for the new publication of The Clopton Family to be published soon by Gene Clopton of Phoenix Pub., Atlanta, Ga. who published the 1st book in 1984 - exceptional book! Every detail is proved and I had to prove and send him copies of MY proof of the 9 or 10 generations which I have added (300-500 people).

Hope this is of interest to you.

Edwina

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1817 - David Zorn
1817 - George Odom
1817 - Elizabeth Mitchell, formerly Turner
1817 - Drusilla Turner (m. 2nd Thomas Turner, son of Joseph, Sr.) This,
and all prior listed from her will.
1809 - (From Thomas Turner Estate)
Josiah Walker *Son of Joseph Turner* Drusilla Turner (wife of Thomas), NEE MRS. SHELLY
John Walker *Joseph Turner* Michael Shelly
Jesse Lee *Son.* Joseph Turner (Jr.)
Joseph Youngblood Samuel Wilson (m. Turner)
Robert Brown, Esq. Benjamin Odom
Luke Shelly Benjamin Odom, Jr.
Daniel Odom Dungal Smyth
Robert Odom Robert Walker
Littleton Turner Edward Griffin
Mikel? Odom (Michel) William McDaniel
Emmanuel Shelly John Starnes(?)
David Edwards (Jr.) John Watkins
Mathew Turner Hugh Raney(?)
Josiah Keadle
(I can explain most of the Shellys and Turners, above)

(From Joseph Turner, Sr. estate)
1805

Daniel Odom	Lewis Blackman
Jesse Stansill	Samuel Wilson (m. Turner)
Thomas Turner, exec.	Jesse George
David Edwards (Jr.), Exec.	John Ryley
Jacob Decell	John Parker
Thomas Red	Major Odom
William Turner (d. Lawrence Co. MS)	
Wm. Walker	Matthias Slane
Zadock Wooley (m. Peacock)	Nathan Wilkinson
John Walker	Robt Lancaster
John Delashmet	Victor Edwards
Josiah Walker	Sam ^l Boyd
Jesse Landcaster	Edward Griffin
Sam ^l Wilkinson	Matthew Turner
Thomas Lard	Joseph Turner (Jr.)
Robert Brown	Abraham Summerford
Luther Tool	Robert Austin
David Edwards (Jr)	Theophilus Edwards
Immanuel Shelly	Michael Shelly
James Wroten	Henry Gullege
Betsey Nelson	Thomas Bell
William Miller	Jacob Thomas
Joshua Lott	Geo. W. Cross
Jesse Winborne	Andrew Nimmons

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Josias Keadle	Luke Shelly
Normand McCloud	Gideon Haydood
Richd Odom	Cornelius Tobin
Joseph Youngblood	George Flora (m. Turner)
Johnson? Hagood	Orasamus D. Allen, O. B. D.

(I can explain the Shellys, Turners, one Parker, Edwards, Bell, Brown)

1940's
William Turner estate - Lawrence Co., Miss. (he was son of Joseph Turner, Sr. and William d. without issue: I know how the ones with the * fit in.

Uriah Harveston*	Darling Edwards
Balis Turner*	Victor E. Lard*
Jackson M. Turner*	Wyatt Allgood
John Carruth*	S. C. Beavers
Nancy M. Pierce*	J. M. Turner (Tax Collector) (James M.)
Wilson Turner*	Jno. E. Harper, J.P.
Peggy Reeves*	other Carruths*
the Temples*	Martha Wilson (nee Turner)*
Nealey Edwards*	Joseph Hart
Benit Carter*	Littleton Turner*
Rachel Peacock*	Sarah Parker*
John Delashmet*	James Hillyard
Johnathan Summers	William Burt
Jane Lard*	Absolum Lard*
Gwin Pepper	Thomas I. Mullins
L. L. Reds	Dudley Loftin
Wm. J. Jayne	A. B. Day (Aaron Butler Day - my paternal line)
Milton J. Whitworth	John Gill, MD
J. Caldwell (Jos.)	James Cotton
John N? Nall	John W. Oliver
Lewes Denham	Charles Edwards*
Banister Hudnall	Antaxerxes Maxy
Wm. East	Joseph Ratcliff
Nathaniel Forvar	William Pepper
L. L. Read	Elizabeth Turner (wife)
Elizabeth Turner, wife of David Edwards, Jr.	
Mary Turner, wife of Victor Edwards, brother of David Jr. (Turner sisters)	

Rev. Etheldred Owens estate papers who d. 1816 BARNWELL

Jesse Cherry	Prescoat Bush
Hardy Dear	Etheldred Owens, Jr.
Job Weathersbee	William Herren
Benjamin Owens*	Stephen Herren*
Griffin Owens*	Josiah Kadle/Kattle
Elisha Owen*	Jesse Owen*
Abel Sillers	Thomas Brooks*
Thomas Beck	James Wheeler
Mack Dear*	Zachariah Owen
David Cockerham	George Magness
Abraham Bockman	Martha Brown (nee Owen) wf of Wm.)*
Willis Owen*	Samuel Hersitz?
Mrs. Ann Owen (nee Mrs. Brooks)	Jane Owens*
Ezekiel Boyet	Wm. Kennedy
	James Higginbottom

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Jno Cockran	Jacob Butes
Cullen Roberts	Isom Coward
W. Herring	A. Boughtman
Henry H. Hand (<i>a guardian</i>)	James Furrs?
Rebecca Owens*	Joseph Lain
Jno. Middleton	A. Boughtman
Claiborn Pee	James Furre?
W. W. Dunn	Stephen Roberts
Joshua Moody	Jno. Boughtman
Joseph Harley	Priston Harley
Tillitha Owens*	

Children of David Edwards, Jr. (From his Bible recently found)

1. John Edwards b. 25 Feb. 1790
2. Matthew Edwards b. 8 July 1791
3. Jehoiakim (Joseph) Edwards b. 8 June 1793
4. Jesse Edwards, b. 6 Sept. 1794
5. Turner Edwards b. 9 April 1796 (d. before 1823)
6. Rachel Edwards, b. 18 Feb. 1798 (m. Janathan Humphreys)
7. Elizabeth Edwards, b. 9 June 1799 (n.m.)
8. David Edwards, b. 11 Nov. 1804
9. Achsah Edwards, b. 22 July 1807 (n.m.)
10. Ellison Edwards, b. 22 July 1807
11. Alse Edwards, b. 15 Dec. 1810 (n.m.)

and at the bottom of these in a different handwriting is:

Martha Ann Edwards, b. 14 July 1816 (This had to be John's child by his 1st m. to Martha Ann Stephens - m. 1813 Marion Co. (where the m. records of Amite Co. were recorded that span of time)
→ DAUGHTER OF MICHAEL STEPHENS

The above Bible was read with a magnifying glass by Edwin W. Turner. The Bible is owned by Forrest Edwards, a descendent of above Joseph and who lives on some of the same land in Amite Co. (near Summit) which David Edwards, Jr. owned and on which he built a log house for his 3 spinster daughters and which cabin still exists with its additions made during the years being removed by Forrest in an attempt to restore the cabin to its original state. Forrest also owns a beautiful crystal pitcher which has a wide gold band around it which David Edwards, Jr. used to fill with water from his well and place on the Mars Hill Baptist Church pulpit for the preacher, the same Church which Forrest Edwards and his wife attend today! David Edwards, Jr. was a Baptist and was 1st a delegate to the Bapt. Convention 1811. (he died late 1822 or early 1823- Amite Co., MS.)

Victor Edwards was a brother of David Edwards, Jr. Victor m. Mary Turner, a sister of David Edwards, Jr's wife, Elizabeth Turner. The children of Victor Edwards and wife Mary Turner were: (from a researcher of that fam.)

1. Everett Edwards b. ca. 1792 SC d. prior 6 Dec. 1830, disappeared while away at war?
2. Darling Edwards b. ca. 1793 SC, m. Mrs. Pamilia Nolane
3. Louis Clarkston Edwards b. ca. 1794 in Ga., m. 1st Celia Miniard;
m. 2nd Rosa Bennett who is bur. Frost, La. (Livingston Parish)

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4. Nealy Edwards, b. ca. 1803 SC, m. Charity Minyard 26 Jan. 1826
5. Mary Edwards, b. ca. 1804 SC, m. Jessie Leard 6 Mar. 1822, d. ca. 1827 in childbirth, son Victor Laird b. 1827 reared by aunt Jennie.
6. Judith (Judie) Edwards, b. ca. 1805 SC, n.m.
7. Jane (Jennie) Edwards, b. 1809 SC, n.m.
8. Charles Edwards, b. ca. 1810 SC, m. Rachel Dean 3 Jan. 1844, d. 5 Aug. 1868.
9. Lavinia (Vinie) Edwards b. 11 Sept. 1818 MS, m. George Washington Watts 11 Oct. 1838 Copiah Co., Miss.; d. 24 Oct. 1891 and buried in Zoar Baptist Church Cemetary, East Baton Rouge Parish, La.

The Manning Papers
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Columbia, S. C.

These contain several volumes on the Barnwell Dist. people - Owens, Parkers, Caves etc. included. Suggest writing first for what you wish and asking price of duplication before sending money! OR, better, yet, go see these. They don't duplicate well - evidently are of blue ink memograph.... I have copy of the Peacock family from these and have some knowledge from the Owens family from these. They, as I see, aren't very well documented. Who published these???

BARNWELL COUNTY SC Court of Common Pleas and General Session Records
Winton Co. A list of Taxable persons 1787: only those perhaps of interest to you listed here

George Walker, Jr.	Lewis Peacock	Araham Johnston	John McKnight Johnson
James Walker	Jesse Winborne	Arthur Turner	John Myers
Nathaniel Walker	Moses Odom	Joseph Turner	Robert Brown
Abraham Peacock	Lark Robinson	Tarleton Brown	John Cave
Solomon Owen	James Brown	Uriah Odom	Daniel Odom
Thomas Owen	Isaac Tool	Bartlett Brown	George Walker, Sr.
Zadock Wooley	Archan? Johnston		

(There are 6 pages I have of these, given to me by a visitor to SC Archives)

I might mention that Jesse Winborne hung around SC with the Turners, Edwards & Owens, followed them to Amite Co., Miss. - no known relationship, but had a daughter who m. Jesse McKay who was Meth. minister and who also followed from SC to Amite Co., Ms. ...Watch for these two people to appear in your records buying from an estate etc. Could give a clue to relationship of some of your family and mine.

I have my Johns(t)on's documented further back than perhaps I last told you. In recent issue of MGE, erase all under Caleb Johnson's name. I got his data mixed with his father's. Caleb Johnson d. 1850 (I have exact date and all his papers copied from Amite) and Caleb's father was Abraham who d. in Warren Co., Ga. I have all of Caleb's children and who they m. if you wish copy...don't believe any are yours....Rowland Johnson was one of the children of Caleb and you see Roland/Rowland in Miss. I'm sure...

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FAMILY PUZZLERS Sept. 18, 1969

CROW - CUMBAA - TOOLE ---Mrs. Dan B. Cates, 112 Sunset Bay Dr., Hot Springs, Ark. 71901 asks information on PIERCE COLUMBUS TOOLE (12-30-1851 - 12-16-1895) and his wife MARTHA AMANDA CROW (3-16-1858 - 7-3-1897), married 6-27-1875, probably in Oconee Co., Ga. They were living in Oconee Co. in the 1880 census, later moved near Woodville, Greene Co., Ga. and finally to Augusta, Ga. All children were buried in Westview Cemetery in Augusta.

CHILDREN

Mary Frances (Mamie Gullledge)	1876-1966
Minnie May	1878-1880
Ella Lou Toole Baker	1883-1924
James Obed	1886-1957
Agnes Elizabeth Toole Sanders	1891-1940
Lucy Claud Toole Tomlin	1888-1957

"Uncle Lum" and "Aunt Mandy" as they were called be nieces and nephews are buried at Magnolia Cemetery in Augusta (Lot D-649), registered in the name of MISS S. F. CUMBAA. The only inscription on the lot is "Sacred to the memory of S. M. Cumbaa who died Nov. 30th 1862 aged 48". What is the connection of the Tooles and the Cumbaas?

There is more to this ad.

Extracted at Barnwell, S.C. 10-17-1984 by (retired) Lt. Com. (Navy)
Wm. Rufus Bailey "Bill", 362 College Hill Dr., Baton Rouge, La. 70808,
a descendent of Victor Edwards and wife Mary Turner.

"Know ye, that for the love and good will which I bear to Jennett CUMBAA I give her the said Jennett possession of my house I now live in with the addition of 50 acres of land adjoining." ----"at the decease of her the said Jennett for the above to fall to my children." /s/ 25 March 1801
JOSEPH TURNER

Witness: URIAH CUMBAA
JESSE WINBORNE JR.

RECORDED AND SWORN TO 18 April 1801

Barnwell District, S. C. Book H page 46. 23 Feb. 1809 the following named sell to Samuel Wilson 200 acres of land on the western extremity of the lands belonging to late Joseph Turner.
Witnesses: Robert Brown, George Odom.

*Samuel Wilson m. a dau. of
Joseph Turner, SA.*

David Edwards
Victor Edwards
Joseph Turner
Druscilla Turner
William Turner
Mathew Turner
George Flora

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Note: Samuel Wilson sold this land to Littleton Turner who then sold to Rawlings Hutson 16 Oct 1810, who then resold in 1812.

→ Son of Thomas
Court Session of Oct. 17, 1808. Ordered a partition of the estate of Joseph Turner deceased

(Note: from Edwina Price Snyder - OUR Joseph Turner, Sr. of Barnwell died 1805.)

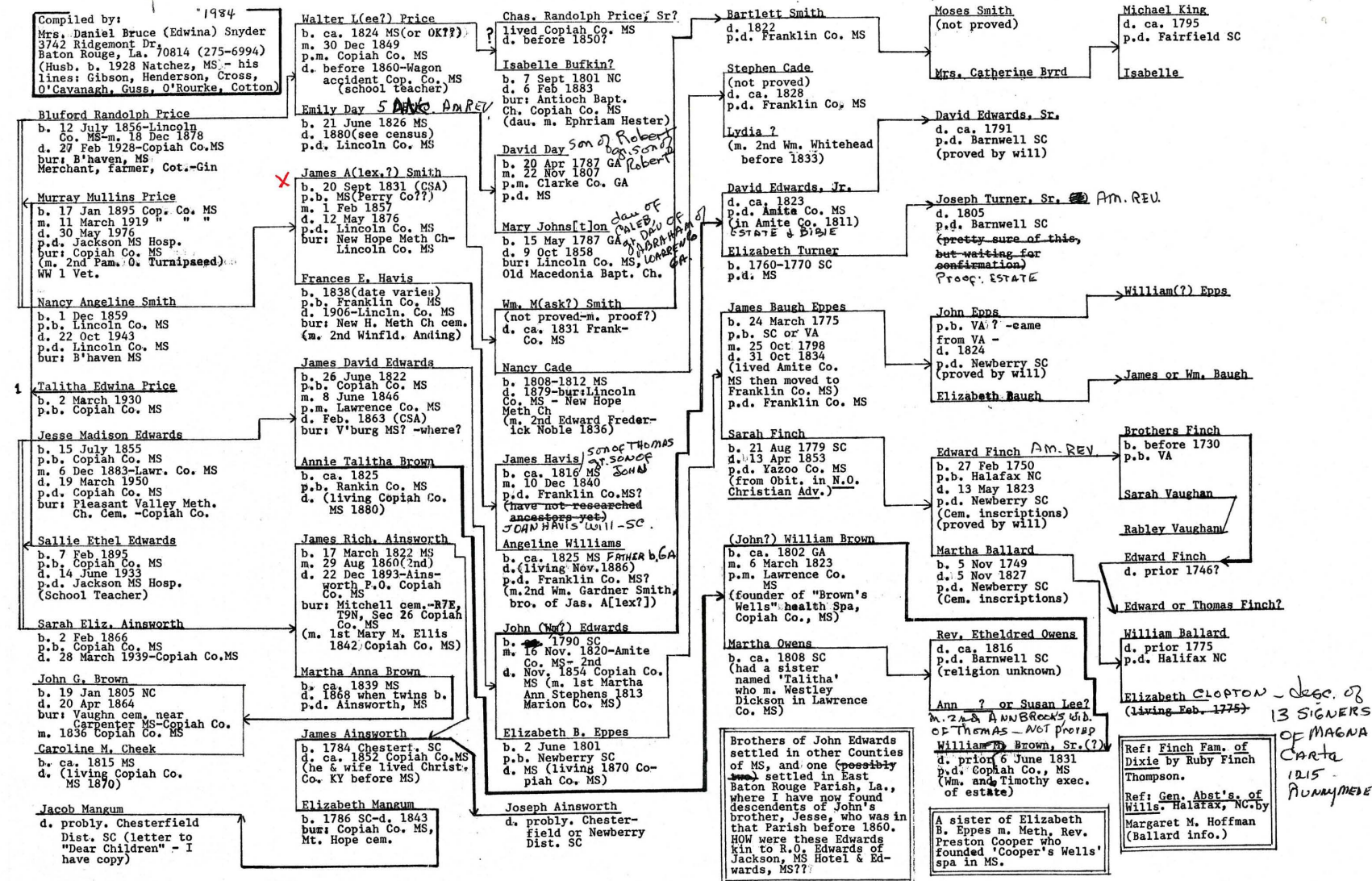
A Mrs. Hardcastle from Ohio phoned me a month or so ago while visiting in Baton Rouge. She descends from Jesse Edwards, the brother of my John Edwards, and they were grandsons of David Edwards, Sr. and Joseph Turner, Sr. who both d. Barnwell Dist., SC. She told me she knows for sure, and will find out exactly how, that our present Vice President, George Bush, is related to our Edwards (Jesse's descendents) either directly or through an in-law. George Bush's father was Prescott Bush. Note the Prescott Bush in some of enclosed estate papers. I believe this would come in through a daughter of Jesse Edwards' who married a McBride and this family lived in N. Louisiana. I am aware of a McBride in this family who m. a Bush. I haven't heard from Mrs. Hardcastle since, but perhaps she is expecting me to write her, and when I have time, I will.

What happened to Miss. Gen. Exchange??? It was a shabbles last year and I believe I only got three issues and have not seen anything about re-subscribing?!##!!**

Do you subscribe to The Edwards Journal? I have for the past two years and it was very good - but didn't receive my last issue of that either nor a notice, as usual, of 1987 subscription due.

Also what happened to Ga. Gen. Magazine? I have not received notice of 1987 subscription being due from this one either! I've subscribed to this one since about 1981.

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EDWARDS - NO KNOWN RELATIONSHIP TO GOV. OF LA.
I need to make a new chart of all this!

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To: nn105474@dasher.csd.sc.edu
From: lori@community.net (Lori Christian)
Subject: Cecil S. Edwards clan

Spent several days at the National Archives this week and overturned helpful census info, however, I have more questions than answers (as usual). I'd be grateful for any info anyone has about the following family.

Cecil Seymour EDWARDS b. Mar 1850 d. 1901? married
Margaret Rebecca DANTZLER b. Mar 1852 d. 1922?
children:

Annie Caroline EDWARDS b. 2 Sep 1869
Effie EDWARDS b. Sep 1870
Lehre Augustus EDWARDS b. Jan 1874
Aileen Viola EDWARDS b. 22 DEC 1876
Margaret Cecil EDWARDS b. Jul 1880
John C. EDWARDS b. Mar 1883
James Owen EDWARDS b. b. Jul 1885
Frederick Samuel (or Samuel Frederick) EDWARDS b. Nov 1887
Dantzler L. (or Leslie D.) EDWARDS b. Jul 1891
Beatrice Pearl EDWARDS b. 13 Feb 1895

There was also another child born to this couple, possibly named Alice.

My questions:

1. In 1920, Margaret is listed as giving birth to 11 children, 8 of whom are still living. I'm fairly certain that Aileen was deceased by this time since my grandmother knew nothing of her. I suspect that Annie was deceased by 1920 since her child is living with Margaret. I'm also guessing that Alice, the mystery child, is among the dead. Does anyone have information that supports or debunks my theories?

2. In 1880, Cecil must have been a pretty big guy. He was census enumerator for his district, he seems to have had a good-sized farm in Goodby's Township, Orangeburg Co. In 1900 he's relocated to Eutawville and his farm

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help seems limited to his immediate family -- with his daughters
working as
dress makers. What happened?

3. In 1920, 2 sons were engineers and 2 were laborers at a saw mill.
Does
anyone have info about a saw mill in/around Eutawville in the early
1920's?

Thanks for answers, advice, pointers, etc.

-Lo

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LYNN TEAGUE, 07:32 PM 3/24/96 , Re: Cecil S. Edwards clan

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X-Vms-Cc: IN%"nn105474@dasher.csd.sc.edu"

Lori and others,

The Eutawville Sawmill in the 1920's and thereafter was owned by Ben Griffin, Sr. He and his wife are now dead. Their oldest son, Ben Jr., died in Florida several years ago after having retired there from the Air Force. A younger son, Rembert, continued to live in Eutawville but I believe may have died last year. Ben Jr.'s only child, Trudy Griffin-Pierce, was in grad school with me here at UA and actually was my next door neighbor then -- Orangeburg has a long reach. She is adjunct faculty at the Anthro. Dept. here so I'll track her down (takes a little while sometimes -- she and husband Keith Pierce travel a lot) and find out what happened to any surviving records of the sawmill, or if we're really lucky with this if there are surviving letters etc. that might refer to your family.

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LYNN TEAGUE, 06:21 PM 3/25/96 , Re: Cecil S. Edwards clan

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X-Vms-Cc: IN%"nn105474@dasher.csd.sc.edu"

Lori, and others,

Not suprisingly, but unfortunately, Trudy Griffin-Pierce says her grandfather's records from the Eutawville sawmill in the early part of the century almost certainly no longer exist. And I was unfortunately right -- Rembert Griffin died last year, so the last one of the generation that might have remembered people working for her grandfather is gone. She will double-check with her cousins but says there is virtually no chance of anything useful. She sends her regrets that she can't come up with anything helpful. At least I was able to catch her quickly -- she goes to Australia for a camel trek through the desert every year, among other travels.

Lynn
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Gene Jeffries, 30 E, 12:01 PM 4/12/96 , jd Forwarding message (fwd)

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X-Sender: aa100176@dasher.csd.sc.edu
To: Orangeburgh German-Swiss Genealogical Society
<nn105474@dasher.csd.sc.edu>
Subject: jd Forwarding message (fwd)

Lynn Teague <lteague@ccit.arizona.edu>, after seeing my query on NC/SC-ROOTS listserver, thinks that my "complex of names is very suggestive" that my ancestors were from Orangeburgh. She, therefore, has highly recommended that I contact you.

These are the families that seem pertinent to the Orangeburgh Co. area of Branchville/Bowman: Bruce, Edwards, Johnson, and Berry. This is how they fit together in my case:

Harriet BRUCE
b. c1830 in SC
d. Dec. 1887 Milledgeville, Baldwin Co., GA
m. 22 Dec. 1850 - Josephus Berry EDWARDS
b. 2 Oct. 1824 - Oglethorpe Co, GA, s/o
William EDWARDS, Jr. & Narcissa Weston
JOHNSON [b. 10 April 1806, Henry Co., GA,
d/o John JOHNSON (Jr.) & Parmelia MAYNE]

The closest reference that Lynn found was: Joseph Edwards, born about 1775, married Ann Berry(?), b. about 1779, daughter - Elizabeth Ann Edwards born 9 Jan 1815 Cattle Creek, died 31 May 1867 Providence (both in O'burg). (Source: Beverly Sloan Shuler's pedigree charts for her husband)

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This is the way that I think my JOHNSONs run:

1. Daniel Johnson (b. ? c1730) married Mary Hailey
2. John Johnson (b. ? c1755-60) " Elizabeth Carter
3. John Johnson, Jr.

Born - 12 Oct. 1From root Fri Apr 12 01:25:48 1996

COMMENT:

I think the above message was cut off. Another message (to myself) was attached. I don't have the best nor most reliable system here. But, jd, you are now on the Orangeburgh mailing list. Address all your queries and replies to:

nn105474@midnet.csd.sc.edu

Also, if you would provide The List with a little more information about yourself, such as all names researching, time, frame, snail-mail address, etc. we may help even more.
Welcome to List.

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BritTech, 05:18 PM 4/14/96 , OGS-GS

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From: brittech@america.net (BritTech)
To: nn105474@dasher.csd.sc.edu
Subject: OGS-GS

Dear Gene,

How very nice to hear from you! Thank you so much for your note & the information about the O'burgh group. You were right about it looking as though my message was cut off - I'll add it to the end of this one.

Since my primary concern is Harriet BRUCE who married Josephus Berry EDWARDS (22 Dec. 1850), I'm wondering if OGS-GS includes the area of "Fcur Hol" (I assume that's some kind of Hollow) which is listed for all the BRUCEs in the 1850 Census? A few years ago, I copied only the Heads-of-Families from the 1850 SC Census for Orangeburg:

1850 CENSUS - South Carolina, p. 20

BRUCE:

Ann	273	ORAN	Fcur	Hol
James	273	"	"	"
Mary	283	"	"	"
Thomas	285	"	"	"

In the same census, is a Harriet (b. SC, age 20), the d/o Thomas BRUCE (b. GA, age 59) of Anderson Co., 175 Western. There is a notation of "deaf & dumb" for that Harriet!

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Another one of my ancestors, James ABERCROMBIE, evidentially owned land in Orangeburg Dist., although he lived in what became Laurens Dist. He, & his son (also James), had land grants in the districts of Orangeburg, Ninety-Six, & Laurens which were dated 1767, 1774, 1785, & 1786.

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O'burg sounds delightful! In one of my old magazines, "Travel South" (Spring/Summer '85), I found this interesting tidbit:

"Branchville . . . was the nations's first railroad

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junction, and its restored depot is now a museum."

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Now for the rest of the chopped-off email:

Lynn Teague <lteague@ccit.arizona.edu>, after seeing my query on NC/SC-ROOTS listserver, thinks that my "complex of names is very suggestive" that my ancestors were from Orangeburgh. She, therefore, has highly recommended that I contact you.

These are the families that seem pertinent to the Orangeburgh Co. area of Branchville/Bowman: Bruce, Edwards, Johnson, and Berry. This is how they fit together in my case:

Harriet BRUCE
b. c1830 in SC
d. Dec. 1887 Milledgeville, Baldwin Co., GA
m. 22 Dec. 1850 - Josephus Berry EDWARDS
 b. 2 Oct. 1824 - Oglethorpe Co, GA, s/o
 William EDWARDS, Jr. & Narcissa Weston
 JOHNSON [b. 10 April 1806, Henry Co., GA,
 d/o John JOHNSON (Jr.) & Parmelia MAYNE]

The closest reference that Lynn found was: Joseph Edwards, born about 1775, married Ann Berry(?), b. about 1779, daughter - Elizabeth Ann Edwards born 9 Jan 1815 Cattle Creek, died 31 May 1867 Providence (both in O'burg). (Source: Beverly Sloan Shuler's pedigree charts for her husband)

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This is the way that I think my JOHNSONs run:

1. Daniel Johnson (b. ? c1730) married Mary Hailey
 2. John Johnson (b. ? c1755-60) " Elizabeth Carter
 3. John Johnson, Jr.
 Born - 12 Oct. 1783
 Died - 25 Oct. 1850, Atlanta area
 Married - 11 Dec. 1804 - Parmelia Mayne (1784-1812),
 daughter of James Mayne
 (Married 2nd - Mourning Brittain)
 4. Narcissa Weston Johnson, daughter of 1st marriage (My great-
 great-great-great-grandmother)
 Born - 10 April 1806 in Henry Co., GA
 Died - April 1883
 Married - 22 Dec. 1822 - William Edwards, Jr.
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These are who I believe to be my EDWARDS:

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Thomas (?-b. c1720) (?-m. Martha SHERWOOD)

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Jonathan EDWARDS (b. c1745-50) married Naomi WREN (? c1770)

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William EDWARDS = Elizabeth BRITTAIN (b. 26 June 1772)

b. May 12, 1772

d. 1818 - Oglethorpe Co., GA

m. Aug. 2, 1791 - Henry Co., Va. - Hill's "History of
Henry Co., Virginia"

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William EDWARDS (Jr.) = Narcissa Weston JOHNSON

(b. 10 April 1806 - Henry Co., GA

d. April 1883)

d/o John JOHNSON (Jr.) & Parmelia MAYNE

b. 16 Sep. 1801 - GA

d. 24 Dec. 1864 - Oglethorpe Co., GA

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Josephus Berry EDWARDS = Harriet BRUCE (b. SC; d. Dec. 1887,
Milledgeville, Baldwin Co., GA)

b. 25 Oct. 1824 - Oglethorpe Co., GA

d. 18 June 1879 - " " "

m. 22 Dec. 1850

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Jennie Spring EDWARDS = Henry Patrick SHACKELFORD,

(b. 30 June 1838, Abbeville Co., SC

d. 1 Jan 1888, Fulton Co., GA

s/o Stephen Jones SHACKELFORD & Melissa

LEWIS)

b. 8 Dec. 1852 - Oglethorpe Co., GA

d. 1 Dec. 1879 - Isle of Wight, Liberty Co., GA

m. 29 July 1869

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As you can see, I never knew that Orangeburgh Co. had a place in the scheme of things, although they probably would have settled for awhile in the Carolinas - almost ALL of the rest of my families did!

Although I adore using the Internet for genealogy, I understand that you would also like a snail-mail address: 5579-B Chamblee-Dunwoody Road, Suite 213, Dunwoody, GA 30338-4128. Hopefully, it won't have to go out over the Net too much!

This has turned out to be much longer than I thought it would be!

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Any help that you could give me would be gratefully appreciated.

J. D. Brittingham
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Searching:

ABERCROMBIE	ALEXANDER	ASHTON	BAILEY
BAIRD	BERRY	BLACKWELL	BLAND
BRITTAIN	BRITTINGHAM	BRUCE	CARLYLE
CARTER	CHAPMAN	CULPEPPER	D'OYLY
DADE	DALE	DIAL	DORSEY
DOYLE	DOYLEY	DREW	DUNLAP
DYALL	EDWARDS	ELLIOT	FAIRFAX
GORDON	GREEN	GREENE	HAILEY
HARRISON	HASTINGS	HATFIELD	HERBERT
HOGG	HOLLY	HOLMES	HUNTER
IRVINE	JENKINS	JOHN	JOHNSON
JONES	KILE	LEWIS	LIPSCOMB
MARSHALL	MARTIN	MASON	MAYNE
MOONEY	MOOREHEAD	PAGE	PEARSON
PICKENS	QUEEN	RANDOLPH	RIDGELEY
SCHEETZ	SCHENCK	SHACKELFORD	SHERRILL
SNOWDEN	STODDARD	TAYLOR	THOMASON
TODD	TRIPLETT	WALKER	WHITE
WINGFIELD	WREN		

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Date: Mon, 22 Apr 1996 23:10:22 -0400
To: nn105474@dasher.csd.sc.edu
Subject: EDWARDS family

J D,

I saw your message to June concerning the JOHNSON and EDWARDS families.

Wanted

to pass on to you a name and address for another EDWARDS family researcher interested

in the GA EDWARDS: PEGGY LOOS at PEGGY.LOOS@ATLWIN.COM

Also, I have an EDWARDS connection:

William EDWARDS: born abt 1741, NC. Died 1833 in Effingham Co, GA.
Married

Chloe

STOKES (b: 1744, d: 21 Apr 1818 in GA). They married in 1761. They had three

children: Henry EDWARDS: born 20 Dec 1762, died 15 Nov 1837.

Married sarah

FORSYTHE.

Elizabeth

William EDWARDS Jr: born 1770 and died 1833. Married
BEAL.

1857. He
married

Obidiah EDWARDS: born 12 Oct 1777 and died 14 Oct

this family.

Tabitha PITTS in 1799 in GA. ***** My connection to

I don't know if any of this helps, but send Peggy a note. Her EDWARDS are different from mine.

Best of luck, Keith (KBEAN99999@AOL.COM)

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Subject: J O H N S O N

Hello, June - & other O'burghers!

A couple of items intrigue me about your JOHNSONS!

1. The name "Harriet" - [Harriet BRUCE married the son
of Narcissa (Johnson) Edwards in 1850, probably
in SC since Harriet was born there.]
2. Lexington Co. - [Could this possible be Lexington
Courthouse of Oglethorpe Co., GA?]

Some of my JOHNSONS run this way:

3. John Johnson, Jr.
Born - 12 Oct. 1783
Died - 25 Oct. 1850, Atlanta area
Married - 11 Dec. 1804.....Permelia Mayne (1784-
1812), daughter of
James Mayne
(Married 2nd - Mourning Brittain)
4. Narcissa Weston Johnson, daughter
of 1st marriage (My great-great-
great-great-grandmother)
Born - 10 April 1806 in Henry Co., GA
Died - ___ April 1883
Married - 22 Dec. 1822.....William Edwards, Jr.

Now - switching over to the EDWARDS' side of that marriage:

William EDWARDS (Jr.) = Narcissa Weston JOHNSON (b. 10 April 1806 in
Henry Co., GA; d. April 1883), d/o
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1840 SC CENSUS:

Elijah BRUCE - Orangeburgh Co., 289 Orange P

The 1850 CENSUS - South Carolina, p. 20 - shows these BRUCEes for
Orangeburgh at Four Hole Swamp:

Ann 273 ORAN Four Hol

James 273 " " "

Mary 283 " " "

Thomas 285 " " "

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Please do let me know whether or not you think that there could
be a connection.

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Diane Aultman Laffe, 06:05 AM 4/23/96 , Soloman Owens

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Subject: Soloman Owens
To: nn105474@dasher.csd.sc.edu
Date: Tue, 23 Apr 1996 06:05:21 -0500 (CDT)

Hi Group

I just got this letter from a lady doing John Dawson Aultman research. He married a Caron in Orangeburgh, SC. The 1812 military record index referred her to a Soloman Owens. She thinks this may mean that he is the father of Caron. Anybody have anything on this family?

Thanks

Diane

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Date: Sun, 28 Apr 1996 00:19:02 -0400
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Cc: nn105474@dasher.csd.sc.edu
Subject: EDWARDS family from Effingham Co, GA

J D,

Here is a brief list of the children of Obadiah EDWARDS (1777-1857),
son of
William
EDWARDS and Chloe STOKES. Obadiah married Tabitha PITTS.

- 1) James Madison EDWARDS (1802-1873). Married Nancy PITTS (1803-1873).
 - a. Joshua A. EDWARDS (1834-?).
 - b. James E. EDWARDS (1831-?).
 - c. Elizabeth O. EDWARDS (1831-abt 1854).
 - d. Martha J. EDWARDS (1841-?).
 - e. Anthony P. EDWARDS (1825-1831).
 - f. Joseph EDWARDS (abt 1827-?).
 - g. Washington EDWARDS (abt 1829-abt 1909).
 - h. Farley S. EDWARDS (1842-1910).
- 2) John EDWARDS (1800-1875). Married Hannah SHEAROUSE (1800-bef 1869).
 - a. Richard A. EDWARDS (abt 1820-?).
 - b. Frances M. EDWARDS (abt 1821-?).
 - c. Obadiah J. EDWARDS (1822-?).
 - d. Jeserial EDWARDS (1824-1824).
 - e. Mary Ann T. EDWARDS (1825-?).
 - f. John P. EDWARDS (1827-?).
 - g. Joseph Green EDWARDS (1829-?).
 - h. Frances Caroline EDWARDS (1833-1879).
 - i. Elizabeth Jane EDWARDS (1834-?).
 - j. Samuel EDWARDS (1836-bef 1859).
 - k. James M. EDWARDS (1836-?).
 - l. Matilga Ann EDWARDS (1838-?).
 - m. Daniel Wire EDWARDS (1840-1926).
 - n. William Henry EDWARDS (1842-?).
 - o. Paulina Clark EDWARDS (1844-?).
 - p. Luzina Hannah EDWARDS (1845-?).
- 3) Daniel M. EDWARDS (1804-1867). Married Mariah TYNER (1807-abt 1862).
 - a. Frances Carolina EDWARDS (1824-?).
 - b. Elizabeth D. EDWARDS (1826-?).
 - c. Simeon Allen EDWARDS (1827-1875).
 - d. Mariah Jane EDWARDS (1830-?).

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- e. Charles R. B. EDWARDS (1832-1857).
- f. Georgia Ann EDWARDS (1835-1856).
- g. Obadiah Elijah EDWARDS (1837-1917).
- h. Victoria B. EDWARDS (1839-?).
- i. Virginia B. EDWARDS (1841-1907).
- j. Henry D. EDWARDS (1843-1890).
- k. Harriett Lusetta EDWARDS (1845-?).
- l. Indiana M. EDWARDS (1848-bef 1889).
- m. William Badger EDWARDS (1850-1914).

- 4) Charles Griffin EDWARDS (1806-1850). Married Mehetable HYLTON (1810-1896).
- a. Sophronia J. EDWARDS (1838-1928).
 - b. Sarah J. EDWARDS (1838-1899).
 - c. Lebina EDWARDS (1839-?).
 - d. Salina L. EDWARDS (1842-?).
 - e. Mary Jane EDWARDS (1845-1846).
 - f. Daniel Richardson EDWARDS (1847-?).
 - g. Francis A. EDWARDS (1850-1895).

2nd wife: Eliza BROOKS: no known children.

- 5) Joseph Chapman EDWARDS (1808-1892). Married Frances CONE (1808-1892).
- a. Aaron Cone EDWARDS (1834-1892).
 - b. Tabitha Ann EDWARDS (1836-1914).
 - c. Susannah Chapman EDWARDS (1838-1914).
 - d. Sarah Elizabeth "Sally" EDWARDS (1841-1920).
 - e. Martha Jane EDWARDS (1842-1917).

- 6) William Pitts EDWARDS (1811-1887). Married Eleanor M. EDWARDS (1812-1861).
- a. Ann H. EDWARDS (1832-1860).
 - b. Elvira A. EDWARDS (1834-1913).
 - c. Adoniram J. EDWARDS (1836-1905).
 - d. Frances J. EDWARDS (1838-1858).
 - e. John S. EDWARDS (1839-1896).
 - f. Eliza Burton EDWARDS (1841-1920)
 - g. Laura K. EDWARDS (1843-1845).
 - h. Henrietta Hester EDWARDS (1845-1914).
 - i. George W. EDWARDS (1848-1855).
 - j. Joseph N. EDWARDS (1851-1930).

2nd wife: Harriet H. MIXSON (1831-1888).

- k. Sarah E. EDWARDS (1866-1923).

- 7) Sylvester Allen EDWARDS (1813-1872). Married Tabitha A. MARLOW (1822-1884).
- a. J.J. EDWARDS (1839-?).

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- b. B or D EDWARDS (1842-?).
 - c. Paul M. EDWARDS (1842-?).
 - d. Robert S. EDWARDS (1844-?).
 - e. Sylvester Allen EDWARDS, Jr. (1847-?).
 - f. Martha E. EDWARDS (1849-?).
 - g. Sernaide EDWARDS (1852-?).
 - h. Rosa EDWARDS (1855-?).
- 8). Elizabeth Dampier EDWARDS (1815-1854). Married Daniel A. SMITH (?-?).
- a. Janie SMITH (1854-1928).
- 9). Frances Ann EDWARDS (1818-1875). Married Henry James WILSON (1818-1861).
- 10) Obadiah Edwin EDWARDS (1820-1887). Married Sarah Ann EVERITT (1822-1882).
- a. Augustus O. EDWARDS (1844-1914).
 - b. Levi D. EDWARDS (1845-1919).
 - c. C.W. EDWARDS (1848-?).
 - d. M. EDWARDS (1850-?).
 - e. H.E. EDWARDS (1851-?).
 - f. Elizabeth D. EDWARDS (1855-?).
 - g. Mary Jane EDWARDS (1857-?).
 - h. M. EDWARDS (1859-?).
 - i. Arabella EDWARDS (1860-1944).
 - j. Lela EDWARDS (1863-?).
 - k. Leon EDWARDS (1867-?).
- 11) Sarah Ann Tabitha EDWARDS (1823-1899). Married David A. FRIER (1823-1904).
- 12) Jane Amanda EDWARDS (1825-1875). Married twice. First, John B. WILSON (1823-1843): No children listed. Second, Barnette NEWTON (1799-1860).
- a. Issac NEWTON (1846-?).
 - b. Rebecca NEWTON (1846-?).
 - c. Samuel NEWTON (1848-?).
 - d. Tabitha NEWTON (1850-?).
 - e. S. NEWTON (1852-?).
 - f. L. NEWTON (1854-?).
 - g. S. NEWTON (1856-?).
 - h. W. NEWTON (1859-?).
- 13) Mary Ann Elizabeth EDWARDS (1828-?). Married James M SHEPPARD (?-?).

---- If any of these names ring a bell, let me know because in most cases I

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have in my
records the names another generation of EDWARDS descendants.

----- Consider Effingham Co, GA to be the birth location for the
children of
Obadiah and
Tabitha. Sources also show the same birth location for the children of
James
Madison
EDWARDS (#1 above) and John EDWARDS (#2 above). Effingham Co, GA is a
good
bet for the rest.

Hope's this helps, Keith Bean (KBEAN99999@AOL.COM)

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, }
JACKSON COUNTY. }

To any Judge, Minister, Justice, or other Officer Lawfully Authorized to Celebrate the
Rites of Matrimony :

You are hereby authorized to celebrate the **rites of**
MATRIMONY between *Henry Edwards*
and *Fannie McInyon*, and you are hereby
required to transmit to the undersigned, Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County, or
his successor in office, a **CERTIFICATE OF THE MARRIAGE** of said parties within six
months after the celebration of the same, under the penalty in such cases provided.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office this *2nd* day of *Dec* A. D., 189 /

W. M. Denny
Clerk Circuit Court.

By virtue of a License from the Clerk of the Circuit Court, I have this day
joined in the

HOLY STATE OF MATRIMONY

This is thirde *Henry Dinton*

AND

Fannie McInyon ~~we do by Marriage matrimony~~

Given under my Hand and Seal this *third* day of *December* A. D., 189 /

Reuben Daniel Franklin

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, }
JACKSON COUNTY. }

To any Judge, Minister, Justice or other Officer Lawfully Authorized to Celebrate the
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You are hereby authorized to celebrate the **rites of**
MATRIMONY between *Alonzo Edwards*
and *Sallie Tabbs*, and you are hereby
required to transmit to the undersigned, Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County, or
his successor in office, a **CERTIFICATE OF THE MARRIAGE** of said parties within six
months after the celebration of the same, under the penalty in such cases provided.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office this *20th* day of *May* A. D., 189*2*

W. M. Terry

Clerk Circuit Court.

By virtue of a License from the Clerk of the Circuit Court, I have this day
joined in the

HOLY STATE OF MATRIMONY

Alonzo Edwards & Sallie Tabbs

Given under my Hand and Seal this *20* day of *May* A. D., 189*2*

Rev. *G. H. Thomas* pastor of

Baptist
Mass. p. 100 C. Church
Miss

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LETTERS FROM JAMES EDWARDS

Submitted by Mrs. Sargent Pitcher, Jr., Baton Rouge, La.

The letters copied in part herein were taken from the copy book of James Edwards; said copy book is in my husband's possession, James Edwards being his great grandfather. Mr. Edwards was born September 4, 1819 in Abergavenny, Monmouthshire, Wales and was brought to the United States in the early 1820s by his parents, John and Mary Randolph Edwards. His parents settled in Cincinnati, Ohio and in 1838, James Edwards migrated to New Orleans, Louisiana. He died in Houston, Texas on May 5, 1866 and is buried in Cypress Grove Cemetery, New Orleans, Louisiana.

" New Orleans, 12 Sept., 1841

Dear Father,

. . . . The yellow fever is raging in our City, which makes business dull, But the Physicians and undertakers are all fully employed, it is a solemn scene, to witness the many hearses bearing their lifeless brethrens to the grave, Some attended by a large concourse of friends, whose death they deeply regret, or perhaps, some desolate stranger who has left his friends and his home, to seek his fortune in our Southern Clime; then he goes without a single person following after him, to perform the last rites of friendship, when perhaps - - a loving wife - - an affectionate Mother of a kind Sister is anticipating his return (to a home long deserted) with wealth enough for their future enjoyment in life, upwards of 60 Deaths per Day and on the increase.

You will hear the Physicians carriages moving at all hours of the night, or the messengers hasty step, wending his way towards some apothecary's Shop to get relief for his Father, Mother, Sister of Brother or perhaps, some dear friend who is lying prostrate with the disease. Then again you will hear the rapid movements of one of our Charitable associations (which are formed by the young men of our City, for the relief of those poor and destitute families who are unable to obtain help for themselves) performing his nightly rounds, and administering relief to all that need his assistance.

As yet - - Mr. Boon is untouch'd. It is almost amusing to see the consternation and alarm, depicted in the countenances of those who are unaccustomed, and have as yet escaped. But like true Patriots they nerve themselves to meet its coming with all its terrors.

To convey to your mind an idea of the distress occasioned by the fell destroyer, I would refer you to the days of 1832, when the cholera was in your City.

Have you seen Capt. Doxon - he promised to write to me. Where is Mr. Gale, his Brother has not heard from him for some time, and does not know where to direct his letters. I have seen Mr. Onthnait he is still following the carpenters trade.

I would advise you to keep Edward and William at school as long as possible for they cannot be better employed, and you will never regret the amount expended for their advancement

Give my love to Mother and all the family. That they may enjoy Peace and Happiness is the sincere prayer of

Yo ur Affect. Son,
Jas. Edwards.

Sent per Mail Via Balt'."

Editor's Note: The next two letters are believed to have been written to Miss Eliza Wharam, Cincinnati, Ohio.

" New Orleans, Oct. 24, 1841

Dear Eliza,

Your esteemed favour dated 18 Sept., 1841 came duly to hand which I assure you gave me much pleasure. Since I wrote you last the hand of affliction has pressed heavily on me, tis true I have not lost any relations, But some of my nearest and dearest of friends have been torn from me as it were almost without a moments warning and sent unprepared before their Maker, during the Season it has fallen my lot to witness many of my friends languishing upon beds fo sickness when but a few days previous they had pictured themselves a life of future happiness tc. last night we had a severe frost it being the only means of driving the disease from our City. Already new faces appear and those who have been absent during the summer months are now reinstated in their business affairs. The "Saint Charles" was crowded last evening, and today I have just returned from the "Grave Yards" having witnessed the way in which the French Catholicks celebrate (what they term) all "Saints Day", there were thousands present

Your Afft. Friend and Adopt. Brother,
J. Edwards "

" New Orleans, April, 1842

Dear Eliza,

...When the "Gen'l Pike" arrived here last trip I went on board to see Mr. Byington, but was informed he had left the Boat so I came to the painful conclusion, you would not be down this spring...

In my description of our City in my last letter, I pictured the many fine edifices with which

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Chart for : Ruth Nell Foster Ruff, 102 Fay Drive, Enon, Ohio 45323 *Edwards*

1. Ruth Nell Foster b. 18 Feb 1944, Pearl River Co., MS m. 12 Aug 1962 to Marion Ruff b. 12 Sep 1940, Humphreys Co., MS
2. Huey Wesley Foster b. 16 Oct 1907, Perry Co., MS d. 28 Apr 1955, Forrest Co., MS. m. 25 Jun 1933 Perry Co. MS(m. license from Pearl River Co.)
3. Esther Dunnam b. 25 Oct 1914, Perry Co., MS. d. 8 Oct 1973, Jones Co., MS
4. William Frank Foster b. 3 Sep 1885, d. 23 Jul 1950, Pearl River Co., MS, m. 19 Jan 1905, Forrest Co., MS. buried Pine Grove Cem, Picayune MS
5. Rebecca Josephine Rayburn b. 6 Nov 1886, d. 11 Feb 1960, Pearl River Co.
6. William Lawrence Dunnam b. 15 Jul 1876, Greene Co., MS, d 1 Apr 1921, m 22 Oct 1913, Greene Co., MS
7. Nettie Leona Edwards b. 28 Jun 1899, Perry Co., MS, d 23 Nov 1953, Perry
8. Nathaniel Foster
9. Nancy Prince
10. Thomas Rayburn b. 5 Oct 1958 St. Tammany Parish, LA. d 17 Dec. 1934, St. Parish, LA, m 5 Jan 1882 Harrison Co., MS, buried Grantham Cem. near Bush
11. Claranza Delphine (Della) Cooper b. 29 Jun 1859, d. 24 Dec 1937, St. Tam Parish, LA, buried Grantham Cemetery near Bush, LA
12. Nathan Alexander Dunnam b. 1832 MS, d. 1908 Greene Co., MS, pprbaby buried Mutual Rights Cemetery, Avera, MS
13. Martha McLain
14. Wiley M. Edwards b. 9 May 1867, d 6 Jun 1937, Covington Co., MS
15. Rebecca Dykes b. 1860, d. 31 Dec 1913, Perry Co., MS
20. Calvin Rayburn
21. Ecia Watts
22. Lorenzo Dow Cooper b. 1807 d. 1866 St. Tammany Parish, La. m. 12 Nov 1835 St. T. LA buried Cooper Fmly Cem. near Sun, LA
23. Mary Ann Alexander b. 1821 d. 1897 St. T. Parish, LA, b. Cooper Cem.(above)
24. Ebb (Ebenezer?) Dunnam b. & d. prob. Greene Co., MS (possibly buried in Mutual Rights Cem. Avera, MS)
28. Henry C. Edwards b. 17 Jan 1822 GA, d. 4 Feb 1904 (Perry Co., MS?)
29. Mary Ann McLeod b. 1829 (MS?)
30. Donald Dykes
44. Cornelius Cooper b. ca 1774, Granville Co., N.C. d 1 Oct 1855, St. Tammar Parish, LA, buried Cooper Cem near Sun, LA
45. Jane Wood b. ca 1774 (Maryland?) d. 19 Mar 1858, buried Mobile, Alabama Magnolia Cemetery
46. Rev. John Alexander d. 1 Oct. 1854, Harrison Co., MS (b. Pendleton Dst.S. 7 Feb 1796
47. Rebecca King. b. 21 Feb 1801, d. 7 Jul 1881, m. 1820, Tuscaloosa Co, AL
56. William Edwards b. 10 Feb. 1768
88. Cornelius Cooper d. 1805 Franklin Co., GA
90. (Miseal Wood?)
94. John King
95. Mary Smith

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EDENFIELD, OSCAR. 1823-1874 BERRIEN

Oscar Edenfield of Berrien County was a son of David Edenfield, Jr., and his wife Cynthia Mobley of Telfair County, and a grandson of David Edenfield, R. S., of Emanuel County, and of John Mobley, R. S. (Vol. II). He was born in Telfair County March 27, 1824, and was the oldest child. He grew up in Telfair and crossed the Ocmulgee River into Irwin County where he met and married Mary, daughter of John and Rhoda Henderson (Vol. II); they were married in Irwin County, June 1, 1848. She was born April 7, 1823. To Mr. and Mrs. Edenfield were born eleven children:

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| 1. Cynthia | b. Dec. 27, 1849, m. John W. Ellis. |
| 2. Rhoda | b. Feb. 21, 1851, m. J. J. F. Goodman. |
| 3. Mary | b. Sept. 28, 1852, died single April 13, 1870. |
| 4. Amanda | b. Dec. 6, 1853, died single Dec. 23, 1922. |
| 5. Oscar, Jr. | b. June 15, 1855, m. Charity Daniels, dau. of Moses |
| 6. John | b. May 29, 1857, died single. |
| 7. Walter C. | b. May 7, 1859, m. Susan Berryhill. |
| 8. Henry | b. Feb. 24, 1861, died July 12, 1861. |
| 9. Thomas | b. July 18, 1862, died single June 20, 1918. |
| 10. Sarah | b. Aug. 14, 1865, m. R. C. Roberts. |
| 11. Laura | b. Aug. 27, 1868, died single. |

Mr. Edenfield lived in the 5th District of Irwin County, and in that part which was detached and cut into Berrien County in its formation in 1856. He served as County Surveyor of Irwin County, 1851-1854. He was a member of the Masonic order with his membership in Duncan Lodge, No. 234, at Nashville, of which lodge he was a charter member. He died a member in 1874. His wife survived and died a few years later.

Mr. Edenfield was a member of the first Board of Education of Berrien County in 1872 and served until his death.

CENSUS REFERENCES: Irwin, 1850; Berrien, 1860, 1870.

EDMONDSON, JOHN. 1806-1864 BROOKS

John Edmondson was born in Bulloch County, March 22, 1806, a son of Isaac Edmondson (Vol. I). He came with his parents to Lowndes County and was there married Nov. 27, 1828, to Martha, daughter of Archibald Strickland who had moved shortly before to this section from Tattnall County. She was born Nov. 13, 1814, in Tattnall County. Mr. and Mrs. Edmondson had the following children:

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| 1. Mary | b. 1830, m. Alexander S. Humphries. |
| 2. Nancy J. | b. 1831, m. Redden Byrd Wooten. |
| 3. James Richard | b. 1835, m. Eliza Jane Reddick, dau. of Nicholas. |
| 4. Martha F. | b. 1836, m. John W. Hopson. |
| 5. Louisiana | b. 1837, m. Dr. Wm. R. Coleman. |
| 6. John A. | b. 1841, m. Sarah S. Rosser, dau. of H. J. E. |
| 7. Orpha V. | b. 1842, m. Albert Dozier Smith, Mar. 10, 1861. |
| 8. Simpson D. | b. 1843, m. Mary A. Wade, dau. of Elijah. |
| 9. Sally Ann | b. 1846, m. Jonathan J. Johnson, Dec. 7, 1865. |
| 10. Virginia | b. 1856, m. Warren H. Roberts, Feb. 1, 1872. |

Mr. Edmondson acquired lands in the Tallokas district of Lowndes County, and owned a fine plantation there. He was Justice of Peace of the 790th district, Lowndes County, 1834-1839. In 1858, he was cut into the new county of Brooks out of Lowndes.

John Edmondson and wife were members of the Primitive Baptist Church at nearby Bethel Church where he was received and baptized September, 1834, and she was received and baptized in December, 1834. Both died members, he dying in 1864 and she in May, 1882. He was licensed to preach in June, 1840; and was ordained to the ministry Oct. 9, 1841, the presbytery consisting of his pastor, Rev. J. E. W. Smith, and Rev. Matthew Albritton. He served as pastor of Bethel Church 1844-1846, 1853-1858, and also pastored other churches at various times.

Mr. Edmondson's will was dated May 12, 1863, and was probated Oct. 10, 1864, in Brooks Court of Ordinary, and named his son, James R. Edmondson, as executor.

CENSUS REFERENCES: 1830, 1840, 1850, Lowndes, 1860, Brooks.

★ EDWARDS, WILLIS. 1770-1797 GEORGETOWN DIST., S.C.

Willis Edwards, a son of William Edwards, R. S., of Georgetown District, S. C., was born there about 1770, and was married on January 13, 1795, to Elizabeth O'Neill, born 1776, daughter of John O'Neill, R. S., of Georgetown District. They had two children, viz:

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| 1. Mariah Jane | b. Nov. 2, 1795, died 1797. |
| 2. William Henry | b. Jan. 14, 1797, m. Sarah Sands of Tattnall Co. |

Willis Edwards and daughter both died in 1797 in a fever epidemic. The widow and son accompanied her parents to Bryan County, Georgia, in 1799, where she lived until her death.

The son, William H. Edwards, settled in Tattnall County, and through the ten children born to him and his wife, Sarah, has become the forefather of a large family connection in Tattnall and adjoining counties.

accord, B. D.A.R. Index
Wm Edwards b. c1741 d 1833 m Chloe Stokes

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churches, and was Moderator of the Washington Association. He was married Nov 18, 1824, to Elizabeth Lord, Washington Co. Ten children.

DUGGAN, Ivy W. - b. Washington Co Ga., Dec 22, 1831, son of Archelaus and Elizabeth _____ Duggan, spent 4 years in CSA, under Gen. Lee, later became an educator and author; Principal of Sandersville, Ga., High School for many years; served as Clerk of Washington Baptist Assoc. m/1 Susan F. Reynolds, in 1855; m/2 Sallie Cone, in 1872.

DUMAS, E. - b. Feb 15, 1810, Richmond Co N. C., son of Benjamin Dumas, who moved his family to Putnam Co Ga., in 1814. Mr. E. Dumas was a minister of the gospel for many years, and in addition also served his fellow citizens in a civil capacity as Justice of Peace; Judge of the Inferior Court; member of State Legislature, and Ordinary of Monroe Co. On Nov 24, 1830 he was married to Isabel M. Gibson. Thirteen children. One son killed at Gettysburg in CSA.

DUNHAM, William, and wife, were the first white persons ever baptized in Liberty County, Ga. He died in 1756, survived by three sons: James; Charles and John, and several daughters.

DUPREE, John - b. Mar 26, 1806, Burke Co Ga., son of Thomas & Cynthia (McDonald) Dupree. His paternal g-f was John Dupree, who moved from Va to Ga; his maternal g-f, Randal McDonald, moved from N. C., to Ga. John, the subject of this sketch, was ordained in 1842, Wilkinson Co. In 1860 he moved to La., later going to Tex. He was m. Jan 3, 1828 to Mary Ann Taylor, dau of John Taylor, of Laurens Co Ga. Three sons; six daughters.

EASON, Parker - b. Feb 22, 1798, Wilkes Co Ga., was a deacon and clerk of Old Philadelphia church. He and Penelope Milner were m. Nov 18, 1818, and in 1823 they moved to Henry Co Ga. He was a planter and Judge of the Inferior Court. He d. Jan 22, 1875. Had issue.

EDWARDS, J. C., a native Georgian, was the son of Obadiah and Tabitha (Pitts) Edwards; and g-son of John Pitts (RS), and Frances Griffin. Mr. Edwards was ordained in 1856 and served as pastor of churches in Effingham and Bulloch Counties. He m. Fannie Cone, Bulloch Co., Feb 14, 1833. Four daughters and one son.

EDGE, N. N. - b. Newton Co Ga., July 3, 1825, son of John & Sallie (Miller) Edge, and g-son of Nehemiah Edge (RS), and Elizabeth Doster. He became an ordained minister in Dec 1855, and served churches in Cass and Newton Counties. Mr. Edge was a tall, thin man with black eyes and hair. He was m. to Virginia S. Holland, of Canton, Ga., in 1848. They were parents of eight children.

ENGLISH, Sampson - b. Yorkshire, England 1790, served as Brig. Gen., in British Army in 1812, settled in N. C., m. Frances Hardison; they moved to Macon Co Ga., in 1831. He farmed and also organized and built the first Primitive Baptist Church in that County. He served this church, Old Red Hill, as minister until his death. 8 sons, 7 of whom served in CSA, and 3 daughters.

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The last will and testament of William Edwards dec'd. was produced in Court proved by John Dugger one of the witnesses and admitted to record. Whereupon Beal Edwards was duly qualified Executor of the same as mentioned in the will according to law.

John Charlton was duly qualified Administrator of the Estate of Hannah Howland dec'd. Citations having been regularly published and no one contesting the same.

It is ordered that Elihu Wilson Administrator of the Estate of Aaron Wilson dec'd. have leave to sell the real Estate of the said Aaron. he complying with the law of giving sixty days notice of such sale.

It is ordered that four Months notice be published in one of the Gazettes in Savannah for leave to all the creditors and real Estates belonging to the Estate of Hannah Howland dec'd. for to make a claim.

It is ordered that four Month Notice

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- 18th January 1845. Granted Marriage License to Miss Elizabeth A. Wrenbaker with Miss Elizabeth A. Wrenbaker directed to any ordained Minister of the Gospel or Magistrate for said State.
- 20th January 1845. Granted Marriage License to James Hays with Miss Estlin Griffen directed to any ordained Minister of the Gospel or Magistrate for said State.
- 25th January 1845. Granted Marriage License to Patrick Kennedy with Caroline Anderson directed to any ordained Minister of the Gospel or Magistrate for said State.
- 31st Jan. Spired Letters guardianship to James Edwards as guardian of Anthony P. Edwards in right of his wife Jane Edwards formerly Jane Griffen daughter of James Griffen dec. also to Maldron C. Griffen as guardian of Martha Griffen agreeable to her choice. and to Maldron C. Griffen as guardian of Maria P. Griffen James W. Griffen and Margaret M. Griffen Minors and all heirs of James Griffen dec. by Order of the Court in January term last.
- 20th February 1845. Granted Marriage License to William G. Morgan with Miss Abigail F. Guarn of Effingham County directed to any ordained Minister of the Gospel or Magistrate for said State.

Effingham Co, Ga.

Edwards

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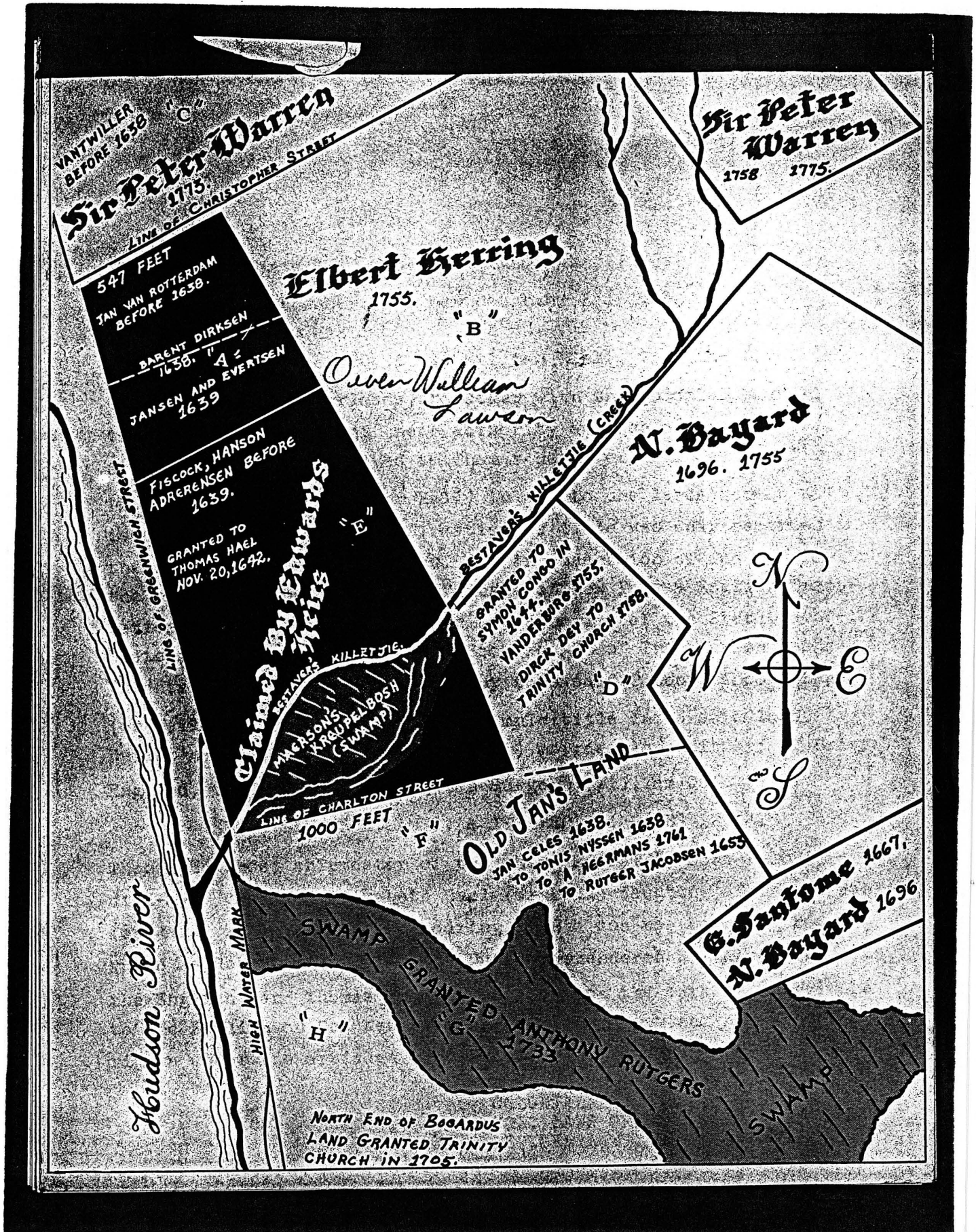
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HISTORY OF DESCENDANTS
HALL-EDWARDS HEIRS
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Thomas Hael (or Hall) born---1614 Married---1639 to a Welsh lady;
died---1640 at the birth of her daughter Elizabeth.

GRANTS - DUTCH TO HAELE

- on November 20, 1642, William Kieft, then the Director General of New Netherlands, together with the Colonial Council therefore, by virtue of their authority as such officers, etc., gave, granted and conveyed to Thomas Hael (or Hall) and confirmed the title of said Hael (or Hall) in and to the lands herein at issue, which grant and confirmation of title was duly recorded in the Book of Dutch Patents G.G. now in possession of and on file in the office of the Secretary of State of New York - English Translation of which, made under and by authority of the Statutes of the State of New York, is recorded Book No. 26 of Translation Books Patents G.G. at page 113---and, by this said Patent, Thomas Hael (or Hall) was vested with a fee simple title in to said land. During---1641, Thomas Hael (or Hall) married Anna Mitford of Bristol England, the widow of an English Surgeon, William Quick.

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Thomas Edwards, shipmaster of the ship "SOCIETY", born---1639---died--- married Elizabeth Hael (or Hall) daughter of Thomas Hael (or Hall) in ---1660---and, during 1662 a son was born to them, known as Robert. In 1664, the Dutch surrendered New Netherlands to the English, and Thomas Hael (or Hall) took the oath of allegiance to the English on October 21, 1664, which guaranteed his property rights under the articles of capitulation.

-N.Y. COL. DOC. VOL. III, P. 74-77;
-COLONIAL PAPERS, xviii, NO. 129;
-COL. LAWS OF N.Y. 1, P. 11;
-REVISED LAWS, 1813, APPENDIX 1.

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Joshua Edwards	born	September 3, 1718
William Edwards	Born	April 9, 1720
Thomas Edwards	born	July 7, 1723
Leonard Edwards	born	May 6, 1725
John Edwards	born	September 20, 1727
Jacob Edwards	born	August 18, 1729
Martha Edwards	born	November 24, 1731

Robert Edwards born February 24, 1716; was a captain in the British Navy, having to go to sea at the time of the Revolutionary War he leased the property (77 2/3 acres of lands) to John and George Cruger; for 99 years; he was killed at sea during the War, also buried at sea, died a bachelor, without issue.

LEASE FROM ROBERT EDWARDS TO JOHN AND GEORGE CRUGER
Manhattan Island,
June 1st, 1778.

Know all men by these presents, that I, Robert Edwards, on this day lease to John and George Cruger 77 acres 3 roods and 32 perches beginning at a stake in the ground at high water mark, near Bestavers Kittingie and running east along Prince St. 1000 feet thence north westerly in zigzag course along part of old Jans land to Christopher St. 2550 feet, thence west along Christopher St. to high water mark 547 feet, thence south along the Hudson River, following the lines of high water mark 2276 feet to the point and place of beginning. Said land being leased for 99 years at 1000 pounds and a pepper corn yearly. Rental of said land to be held by said John and George Cruger or their heirs, so long as contract is fulfilled, otherwise, it must revert to me or to my living heirs and at the expiration of the 99 year lease, said land, together with all such improvements shall revert to my lawfull living heirs, which will be the descendants of my brothers and sisters which are as follows, William Edwards, Jacob Edwards, Leonard Edwards, Joshua Edwards, John Edwards, Thomas Edwards, Martha Edwards.

Witness my hand and seal this June 1st, 1778.

ROBERT EDWARDS,
JOHN CRUGER,
GEORGE CRUGER.

Witness:
ANTHONY BARCLAY,
NICHOLAS BAYARD.

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John Edwards born September 20, 1727 died September 20, 1816 -
1st married June 13, 1748 to Susan Lucy Collins born
died , -2nd married in , 1774 to Mary
Walker born , 1728 died

To this issue were born the following children
(1st married)

Thomas Edwards	born	September 21, 1749
Arthur Edwards	born	March 25, 1752
Joseph Edwards	born	February 1, 1754
Samuel Edwards	born	1755
Abel Edwards	born	1755
John Edwards	born	March 25, 1757
Mary Edwards	born	April 1, 1760
Elizabeth Edwards	born	May 11, 1765
William Edwards	born	May 11, 1768
Sarah Edwards	born	March 4, 1769
Joseph Edwards	born	1772
Charles Edwards	born	January 16, 1775

(2nd married)

Owen Edwards	born	1774
Thomas Edwards	born	1776
John Edwards	born	1781
Samuel Edwards	born	1780
Arthur Edwards	born	September 17, 1786

William Edwards born , 1780 died July 2, 1830 married in
April 15, 1807 to Catherine Allsen born died

To this issue were born the following children

Sarah Edwards	born	
Walter Edwards	born	1808
Robert Edwards	born	
Bennett Edwards	born	
Eleanor Edwards	born	February 17, 1825

Sarah Edwards born , died
married in , to William Hicks born
died

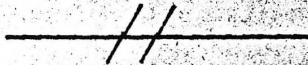
To this issue were born the following children

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Lucinda Hicks
John Hicks

born
born



Lucinda Hicks born
married in
died

died
, to James Harvey Suttles born

To this issue were born the following children

Isaac Suttles	born	
Susah Ann Suttles	born	May 25, 1843
Margaret Parles Suttles	born	November 22, 1844
Sylvia Elizabeth Suttles	born	October 12, 1845
Lucinda Suttles	born	April 13, 1858



Susan Ann Suttles born May 25, 1843 died October 27, 1923
married in September 1, 1859 to John William Lawson born
November 4, 1838 died January 19, 1899

To this issue were born the following children

William Harvey Lawson	born	September 22, 1862
Maggie Allie Lawson	born	December 4, 1863
Sarah Lou Lawson	born	October 22, 1869
Mollie Elizabeth Lawson	born	August 23, 1873
Anna Bell Lawson	born	January 19, 1880
Susie Viola Lawson	born	April 2, 1884



William Harvey Lawson born September 22, 1862 died December 23, 1915
married in September 22, 1892 to Orleans Victory Long born December
15, 1876 died

To this issue were born the following children

Beulah Viola Lawson	born	August 29, 1893
Bennie Lee Lawson	born	September 2, 1898
Charlie Clinton Lawson	born	December 15, 1902
Mattie Olivia Lawson	born	October 3, 1895
Owen William Lawson	born	May 23, 1908

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Ava Lillian Lawson
Ora Lillian Lawson

born
born

August 21, 1905
May 23, 1908

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Owen William Lawson born May 23, 1908 married in December 10, 1927 to Devie Helliman born February 6, 1906

To this issue were born the following children

Bettie La Rue Lawson	born	September 25, 1929
William Howard Lawson	born	June 29, 1931
Vera Sue Lawson	born	October 10, 1934

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Betty La Rue Lawson married in May 15, 1947 to Herman Fank

To this issue were born the following children

Margaret Diane - June 12, 1947

James Stanley - March 27, 1949

Susan La Rue - Oct 4, 1952

William Howard Lawson married to Helen Hill 1950

To this issue were born the following children

Shirley Fay Born Oct 11, 1951

Michael Duane Born Nov 25, 1952

William Randall Born July 25, 1956

Ronald Howard Born Mar. 25, 1958

Robert Dale Born Dec. 16, 1960

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Vera Sue married to Charles Reed Massey
Dec. 22 1951

To this issue was born the following children

Charla Sue born Jan. 5, 1958

Patti Lynn born July 31, 1965-

Betty Kimberly born June 22, 1967

Tommy Clinton Massey mar 25, 1969

Great Grandchildren

J. Shea Simpson

B - Jana Simpson

Kimberly Diane Lawson

Kristy Michelle Lawson

Amanda Lawson

Ty Lawson

Katelyn Lawson

Erica Roney Lawson

Beth Lawson

Allen Fant

Joseph Fant

Melissa Edrine

Joach Moore

Brandon Moore

Jay Moore

Chuck Hudson

Nicole Hudson

EDWARDS LINEAGE

1700's- 1987

by

LUCILLE EDWARDS HOLLIMAN

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If you can give me any information on anything that is incorrect or incomplete please let me know.

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In the 1600's there were EDWARDS in Massachusetts, some of them migrated to Maryland, some to Kentucky and some to North Carolina. Most of these were Preachers and Missionaries.

REV. SOLDIER WILLIAM EDWARDS, JONATHAN EDWARDS, JOSEPH EDWARDS and BENJAMIN EDWARDS of Old Dodds county (Fort Hood) North Carolina, migrated to the Charleston South Carolina area, it is undetermined if these men were brothers or cousins.

BENJAMIN EDWARDS and JONATHAN EDWARDS later moved to Effingham county Georgia. They married, wives undetermined, and fathered a total of 22 children, one of which was WILLIAM EDWARDS, he fathered several children, born in Effingham county Georgia. Some of them were:

Wiley	Born 1810,	married	Lararona Pitts in 1830
Beal	" 1809	"	?
James	" 1813	"	Francis Freeman in 1841 (she was a twin)
Senate	" 1818	"	Charity Freeman in 1849
Elizabeth	" 1820	"	? Richards
Henry	" 1823	"	Mary Ann McLeod
Kenista	" ?	"	Elizabeth ?
Obidiah	" ?	"	?
Edward	" ?	"	?

Of these EDWARD EDWARDS migrated to Tishomingo county Mississippi. BEAL EDWARDS migrated to Warren county Mississippi. JAMES EDWARDS, WILEY EDWARDS, SENATE EDWARDS, ELIZABETH EDWARDS RICHARDS, HENRY EDWARDS, and KENISTA EDWARDS migrated to Perry county Mississippi, sometime around 1841, 1842, 1843.

James and Francis were newly-weds when they left Georgia with their sole possessions loaded on their wagon and one cow tied to the rear of the wagon..

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JAMES EDWARDS
1813- ?

and son

ALBERT LAPATE EDWARDS
1843-1918

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James Edwards Born in Ga. 1813 (1841) Francis Freeman Born in S.C. 1820 -Farmer
Children;

Albert Lapate, Born in Ms. 1843

Anthony, Born in Ms. 6-19-1845 died 11-16-1922 on the porch,

James (Jim), Born in Ms. 7-17-1847 ,died 8-1918 , Bur Edwards Cemetary

Martin, Born 1849

Lloyd, Born in Ms, 1850

David, Born in Ms. 1853

Almedia, Born in Ms. 9-22-1855

Elizabeth, Born in Ms. 1845 (seems that Anthony and Elizabeth were twins)

Henry (Keetle), Born in Ms. 1859

Albert Lapate Edwards Born 1843 in Ms. died 1918 Bur. Edwards cemetary -Farmer
married Leathe Hinton birth, death dates unknown Bur. unknown
Children;

Albert Lapate Jr. , Born 9-21-1886, Died 12-6-1935, Bur. Edwards Cemetary

Eliza Jane

James Gabriel (Swamp Jim), Born 1869, Died 1952, Bur. Edwards Cemetary

Wife Leathe Hinton died , 2nd wife Susan Johnson Born 1853, died 1930

Bur. Edwards cemetary. (Parents James and Lueazer (Louisa) Hinton)

Children by Susan;

Lueazer, Born 5-15-1876, died 9-7-1952, Bur Edwards cemetary

Albert Evander, Born 1877, Died 1965, Bur. Edwards cemetary

Almedia, Born 1879 Died , Bur.

Willis Obadiah, Born 1-7-1882, Died 1-9-1968, Bur Edwards Cemetary

Ella Estelle, Born 1883, Died 1955, Bur . Edwards cemetary

Martin Oliver, Born 1-19-1888, Died 8-9-1948

Lloyd, Born 1886, Died 1930, Bur Edwards cemetary

Gaines M. , Born 1891, Died 1911 Died from gunshot wounds

Ce Belle, Born Died Bur.

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ALBERT LAPATÉ EDWARDS JR.
1866-1935

and son

JAMES HENRY EDWARDS
1892-1952

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Albert Lapate Edwards Jr. Born 9-21-1866, Died 12-6-1935, Bur. Edwards cemetery
Farmer, Married Laura Newell Born 3-26-1874, Died 12-7-1926 run over by truck.

(Laura's parents were J. Tom Newell Sr. and Sarah Ann Odom)
Children:

James Henry, Born 1-1-1882, Died 6-8-1952, heart failure on front porch.
Bur. Edwards cemetery

Leatha, Born 12-15-1894, Died 12-20-1976

Rilla, Born 9-22-1894, Died 12-7-1964 Bur.

Laura, Born 6-27-1898, Died 4-17-1976, Bur,

Eliza, Born 6-27-1898, (twin to Laura)

Lucretia, Born 10-22-1900

Thomas Willis, Born 2-12-1911, Died 3-22-1974

James Henry Edwards, Born 1-1-1892, Died 6-8-1952, Bur. Edwards Cemetery. Farmer.

Married Ada Caroline Finley Born, 1-21-1893, Died 4-2-1972, Bur. Edwards Cemetery.

(Ada Caroline's parents were Ira Elia Finley and Susie Clark)
Children:

A. B., Born 9-12-1909, Died 4-21-1984, Bur. Edwards Cemetery.

Andrew Coda, Born 3-31-1911, Died 4-2-1984

Vaudia, Born 8-3-1913, Died 4-27-1974, Bur. Creel Cemetery

Vardia, Born 12-1-1915, Died 12-14-1970, Bur. Brown Cemetery

Willie Vee, Born 11-8-1917, Died 8-27-1962 auto accident, Bur. Brown cemetery

Marie, Born 6-2-1921

Rreese, born 1-2-1923, Died 1-2-1929, Bur.

Baby Edwards, Born 10-12-1926, Died 10-12-1926, Bur.

Harmon Orell, Born 5-3-1928, Died 11-21-1967, Bur. Frisco cemetery, Brewer Community

Ruby, Born 6-19-1930

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A.B. EDWARDS

1909-1984

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A.B. EDWARDS Born 9-12-1909, Died 4-21-1984, Bur. Edwards cemetery. Farmer.
Married, Pearlle Edwards 8-5-1931, Born

Children:

Thomas Edwards born 4-11-1932, Married Mary Patterson
Children:

Deborah Edwards born 9-30-1954, Married 11-19-1973 to Allen Smith
Children:

Dewayne Smith, born 5-19-1978
Mecklin Smith, born 2-9-1984

Shirley Edwards, born 2-3-1956, married Bill Ferguson
Children:

Holly Ann Ferguson, Born 10-27-1981
Eve Heather Ferguson, born 3-30-1985
Lora Nichole Ferguson, born 5-5-1986

Janet Edwards, born 3-19-1957, Married 7-17-1976 to Johnnie M. Walley
born 4-6-1952

Children:

Johnnie M. Walley Jr., born 7-17-1981
Jason M. Walley, born 7-8-1985

Thomas Glynn Edwards, born 9-24-1960, married Sharron Hinton
Children:

Tessa Leshea, born 7-30-1983

Micheal Lynn, born 1-15-1959, Married Kim

Tara Edwards, born 8-11-1974

Molly Edwards, born 7-7-1976

Odis Edwards, born 9-20-1933, married Georgia Mae Creel

A.B. Edwards Jr., born 8-30-1935, married Delores Dearman (divorced)

Children:

Patricia Kay Edwards, Married Danny Robbins

Children:

Josh Daniel Robbins born 8-26-1977
Jeard Seans Robbins, born 7-28-1981

2nd marriage to Willa Dean Rushing

Children:

Terri Linda, Edwards, born 11-20-1963, married John Sims

Children:

Amanda Dean Sims, born 3-15-1983

Anthony (Tony) Edwards, born 1-8-1960, died 9-3-1976 Auto accident

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Mary Dean Edwards, born 9-3-1941, married Thomas Earl Walley

Children:

Jeffery Dewayne Walley, born 11-25-1966

Pamela Denise, born 5-14-1969

Bonnie Dean Edwards, born 9-3-1941, married 1-13-1962 V, Lamar Clark

Children:

Angela Dawn, born 7-1-1967

Susan Michelle, born 4-1-1969

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ANDREW CODA EDWARDS

1911-1984

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Andrew Coda Edwards, Born 3-31-1911, Died 4-2-1984, Bur. Edwards cemetery

Farmer, Merchant

Married Clyde Blackledge, Born 11-21-1912, Died 1-14-1974, Bur. Edwards Cemetery
(Clyde's parents were, Buford Q. Blackledge and Nancy Gertrude Clark)

Children:

Eunice Born 12-10-1930

Lorene, Born 4-9-1932

Betty Lou, Born 1-13-1934

Lucille, Born 11-18-1940

Malcolm Coda, Born 12-3-1950

Eunice Edwards, Married 10-8-1930 to H.L. Backstrom, Born 7-3-26

Owners of Trading Enterprises Inc. Hattiesburg, Ms.

Publishers of county and city maps.

Children:

Henry Lavaughn Jr., Born 7-5-1949, Not Married, Columbus Ohio, Personnel executive.

Micheal Douglas, Born 12-17-1950, Owner of Mike's Wheel & Tire, Hattiesburg, Ms.

Married Jennifer Walley, Taylorsville, divorced 1974

Married Kay Hall, Grand Bay Ala. 2 children, divorced 1985

Children:

Jason Micheal Backstrom, Born 3-17-1980

Taylor Ryan, Born 7-18-83

Married 1-3-1986 Linda Rof Gregg

Stepdaughters:

Lori Gregg

Kristi Gregg

Lorene Edwards Married 11-25-1954, Johnnie L. Brittain, Forest, Ms. Born 7-17-1928

Teacher- Owner of Shelter Insurance Agency, Forest Ms.

Children:

Deborah Diane Brittain, Born 3-8-1957, Teacher in Hattiesburg Schools, lives at Petal

Married Karl M. Tischer form Tenn. Born 9-14-52, Bank officer, Hattiesburg, Ms

Children:

Karl Jonathan Tischer, Born 10-31-1982

Susan Denise Brittain, Born 6-14-1958, Bank-Executive Secretary, Forest, Ms.

Married 6-9-1978 to Hugh Carroll Strebeck, Born 3-29-1958 Scott Co. Ms.

Funeral Director, Forest, Ms.

Children;

Christopher Hugh Strebeck, Born 8-10-1982

Melissa Suzanne Strebeck, Born 4-18-1986

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Betty Lou Edwards Born 1-13-1934, owner of grocery store, Pineville, Smith Co. Ms.
Married 12-24-1966, George W. Boyte Born 7-20-1928 Lincoln co. Ms. oilfield.
Children:
George Andrew Boyte, Born 10-30-1968

Lucille Edwards , Born 11-18-1940, Self-employed Accountant, Prentiss, Ms. Married
11-24-55 Macon C. Holliman Born 7-27-1929 in Jones Co. Ms. Teacher-Educator
Children:
Cynthia Adair Holliman Born 2-21-1957, Respiratory Therapist, Prentiss, Ms.

Married 7-22-1977 to Gregory L. Swales Bassfield Ms. Electrician-Owner
Swales Satellite Systems, Prentiss, Ms.
Children:
Jennifer Lee Ann Swales, Born 4-5-1980
Stepson:
Gregory Lee Swales Jr. born 12-6-1974

Macon Cortez Holliman Jr. Born 10-8-1959, Auto Parts Clerk, Quitman, Ms.
Married 6-18-1982 to Frankie Rea Daniels Bridges , Prentiss Born 2-11-1957
Nurse at Quitman, Ms.
Children:
Valerie Rea Holliman Born 11-25-1983
Stepson:
Rick Bridges Born 1-10-1980

Chaundra Dawn Holliman, Born 8-19-1966, lives at Prentiss, Ms.

Malcolm Coda Edwards Born 12-3-1950, Farmer, Rt. 2 Richton, Ms.
Married 11-9-1969 to Jimmie Rose Steel Born 12-9-1950 Postal Clerk, Richton, Ms
Divorced 1985
Children:
Jeremy Coda Edwards born 11-25-1974
Justin Curtis Edwards born 3-7-1979

VAUDIA EDWARDS CREEL

1913-1974

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Vaudia Edwards Born 8-3-1913, Died 4-27-1974. Bur Creel cemetery. Housewife.
Married 9-7-1929 to James Edward (EDD) Creel Born 10-8-1905, Died 9-1-1971
Bur. Creel cemetery
Children:

James Ander Creel Born 9-20-1930

Married Macy Stevens

Bur. Creel cemetery

Children:

James Larry Creel Born 10-31-1950. Died 12-6-1985 Bur. McGee cemetery at
Bogolusa La. Married Lawanda Gail Stewart , divorced.

Children:

Twin girls who died

Hanna Benetta born 8-17-1971

James Carroll Creel born 3-5-1955, Married Sherry Holter
children:

Jennifer Macy Creel born 12-1985

Jackie Creel Born 7-14-1960, Married to Charles Eugene Childers.

Children:

Matthew Childers Born 3-1987

Shelia Creel Born 8-25-1962, Married to Bruce James Petterson

Children:

Katrina Petterson Born 1981

Joshua Petterson Born 1983

Gwyn Ashford Creel Born 4-23-1932 Married Jouce Kynard, No Children

T.W.Creel Born 8-3-19 , Married Betty Jean Easterling (Divorced) no children

Married Patsy Thomas (Divorced) No children

Married Mary Farrish (Divorced) no children

Chalrie Everette Creel Born 5-13-19 , Married Nelda Prine

Children:

Everett Creel, Married Joannie Freeman, no children

Edward Creel Married Crystal Verette

Children:

Tara nicole

Melinda Creel

Patrica Creel

Children :

Melanie Shenell Creel

Bernice Creel Born 7-5 19 , Married Wilson Lambret, no children. (divorced)

Married Max Easterling

Children:

Gale Easterling , Married John W. Moore , (divorced)

Child:

Jason Moore

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Phil Easterling Married Patricia Ann Parker (divorced)

Children:

Christy Easterling

Married Emily West , no children

Paul Easterling Married Juanita Zomora , No children

Gaye Easterling Married Earl Ellis

Children:

Chance Martin Ellis

Vernell Creel Born 4-19-19 , Married Jimmy Lynn Henderson(divorced) no Children.

Married Hershell Brand (divorced)

Children:

Deborah Nell Brand Married Mike Dobson

Children:

Chris Dobson

Anthony Dobson

Toyna Michell Dobson

T. H. Brand Died Bur. Creel cemetery

Tammy Brand, Married Troy Pickett no children

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VARDIA EDWARDS

1915-1970

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Vardia Edwards born 12-1-1915, Died 12-14-1970 bur. cemetery

Married 8-8-1933 to Alma Creel Born 1-10-1918

Children:

Edna Earle Born 10-20-1935, R. Nurse, Married G.W. Dykes Born 1-29-1930
Timber contractor

Children:

Carol Elizabeth Dykes born 2-2-1953, married 4-13-1981 to A.B. Brannon
R. Nurse Parts salesman

Children:

Aaron Matthew Brannon born 4-1-1982
Richard Christian Brannon born 12-28-1984

Delora Lee Dykes born 4-21-1961

Bobbie Nell Edwards born 7-15-1937, Nurse, Married 3-27-1952 Jewel Dykes
Timber contractor

Children:

Kenneth Earl Dykes, Pharmacist, born 12-15-1952, married to
Mary Gale Walley, no children

Jewel Dianne Dykes, born 12-18-1954, Married to Gale Kelly Smith, nurse

Children:

Kelly Smith born 8-10-1978
Joshua Smith born 4-26-1980

Richard (Ricky) Edwards Dykes born 11-9-1959, died 11-30-1982, auto accident

Jimmie Lou Edwards died 9-11-1934

Patricia Ann Edwards born 10-29-1939, beautician, married 5-20-1959 to
Joseph Andrew Odom born 8-8-1937, retired Air Force

Children:

Cynthia Ann Odom, clerk

Children:

Jennifer Christine Odom born 7-13-1983
Valerie Nicole Odom born 7-13-1983 (twins)

Jerry Benjamin Edwards, Born 1-16-1947, Minister, Married 12-18-1965 to
Brenda Karen Williams, born 11-29-1948, O.R. Tech.

Children:

Jerry Benjamin Edwards II born 3-21-1967, carpenter, Married 6-6-1986 to
Karen Michelle Born 7-29-1969

Angela Michelle born 3-4-1971

John Henry Edwards, oilfield cementer, born 7-12-1952, married 5-1981 to
Claudette LeCoq, teacher

Children:

John Henry Edwards Jr. born 10-25-1984

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Sharon Lynn Edwards, secretary, born 10-3-1956 , married 11-27-1976 to
Jack D. Anderson born 9-4-1946, carpenter

Children:

Dena Nicole Anderson born 6-14-1978

Glenda Kaye Edwards, X-Ray Tech., born 12-11-1957, Married 9-7-1974 to
William Micheal Cooper, Tank Instructor ,Camp Shelby, born 7-11-1951.
Children:

William Micheal Cooper II born 1-28-1976

Melissa Susanne Cooper born 9-17-1985

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WILLIE VEE EDWARDS CREEL

1918-1962

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Willie Vee Edwards born 11-18-1918, housewife , died 8-27-1962, Bur. Brown Cemetary.
Married 8-8-1933 to David Percy Creel born 1-30-1911
Children:

Pauline Creel, born 5-18-1935, married 3-31-1952 to Billy Ray West (divorced)
Children:

Kathy Ann West born 7-26-1953, Married Otho Richard Brady II
Children:

Otho Richard Brady III
Jeffery Scott Brady
Naomi Pauline Brady

Pauline Creel 2nd marriage 8-1-1958 to William L. (Bill) Hamm Jr. born 8-18-1935
Children:

Danny Lynn Hamm born 8-7-1960, Married Veronica Sue Adams

Merlene Creel born 4-30-1937, Married John W. West (Divorced) no children
2nd marriage Earl James Dominguez, died 1985 bur. Green Oaks cemetery at
Baton Rouge, La. no children.

Jimmy Edward Creel, born 10-9-1938, married Mary Lou Dykes
Children:

Richard Edward Creel, married Carol Windsor
Children:
Courtney Justine born 3-15-1987

John Roger Creel , married Kelly Sunrall (divorced) no children
2nd marriage Leslie Hedgwood Bost
Step child:
Lindsey Bost.
Jimmy Anthony Creel
David Creel

David Harris (Harold) Creel born 9-27-1940, died 9-19-1968, bur. Brown cemetery
Married Wonda Gale Knight
Children:

Donna Jean Creel Married David Murphy (divorced)
Children:
David Harold Murphy
2nd marriage, Calvin Porter
Children:
April Porter
Rhonda Lee Creel married Terry Farrar

Albert Durell Creel born 9-14-1942, died 2-11-1962 , bur. Brown cemetery
Married Carolyn Odom no children

Trucine Creel born 8-21-1944, Married Joseph Barny Mills
Children:
Joseph Deran Mills
Tammy Mills married Greg Eilers--no children

Micheal Wayne born 6-19-1946

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Christine Creel born 9-28-1947, married Alvis Wayne Sistrunk

Children:

Angela Christine Sistrunk, married James Dunn no children

Cynthia Ann Sistrunk

Alvis Wayne Sistrunk Jr.

Donnie Lee Creel born 12-21-1952, Married to Judy Ann Perry

Children:

Donnie Lee Creel Jr.

Ashy Dale

JaniceFaye Creel born 9-29-1951, married Lawrence Riley (divorced) no children

2nd marriage to Lemul Burkett Hosey

Children:

Melinda Faye Hosey

Clarenda Hosey

Randall Bidon Creel born 3-30-1955, married Jerri Rae Bookes (divorced)

Children:

Randall Scott Creel

Deborah Jean Creel born 12-20-1956, married James Wages

Children:

Jonathan Wayne Wages

Amy Michelle Wages

Benny Ray Creel born 4-2-1950, Married Patsy Sims (divorced) no children

2nd marriage to Joyce Hinton

Children:

Elizabeth Michille Creel

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MARIE EDWARDS CREEL

1921-

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Marie Edwards born 6-2-1921, housewife, married 2-27-1937 to
William Stance Creel born 10-15-1914

Children:

Thurman Joe Creel born 12-12-1938. teacher, married Loy Ann Schertz

Children:

Thurman Joe Creel Jr. born 5-30-1961
William Levell Creel born 12-6-1962
Mitzi Ann Creel born 8-16-1969

Kathleen Creel born 6-7-1940, Married 6-13-1959 to Walter E. Gibbons (divorced)

Children:

Walter E. Gibbons IV born 10-11-1961
John Timothy Gibbons born 3-15-1965

William Harmon Creel, born 7-3-1942, married 2-20-1969 Marilyn Sue Colby born
11-5-1943

Children:

Katrina Marie Creel born 9-29-1969
Kristina Dianne Creel born 2-27-1972
William Harmon Creel Jr. born 11-22-1978

Marie Edwards Creel
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Bogolusa, La 70427
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HARMON ORELL EDWARDS

1928-1967

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Harmon Orell Edwards born 5-3-1928, Died 11-21-1967, Truck driver,
Married 12-1-1947 to Mary Magdalene Smith born 4-25-1925.
Children:

Ronald Orell Edwards, born 9-26-1948, Insurance agent, Married Nancy Jo
Anderson born

Children:

Kristi Marion Edwards born 9-15-1969

Child:

Keri Edwards

Kasey Orell Edwards born 4-2-1975

Candace Elaine Edwards born 2-16-1953, Married Johnny Rundell died
2nd marriage to Douglas Daughdrill

Children:

Mary Amanda Daughdrill born 7-23-1976

Martha Racheal Daughdrill born 5-3-1980

Joel Douglas Edwards born 10-26-1955, mear technican, married to
Cindy Mangum Carley

Children:

Joel Douglas Edwards Jr. born 9-27-1978

Carley Nicole Edwards born 11-21-1983

Jonathan Cornelius Edwards , born 5-19-1961, oilfield, married to
Donna Elaine Haryison

Children:

Jonathan Micheal Edwards

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RUBY EDWARDS DUNN McGEE

1930-

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Ruby Edwards born 6-19-1930, married 6-13-1948 to Calvin Dunn born 1-6-1926 --
Died 8-28-1970, bur. Sunset cemetery, Richton, Ms.

Children:

James David Dunn born 4-1-1949, died 1-20-1952

Charles Henry Dunn born 5-18-1951 engineer, married Shelia Ann Freeman (divorced)
2nd marriage Rebecca Malone 11-1-1980

Children:

Calley Elizabeth born 6-3-1981

Morgan Caroline Dunn born 7-19-1984

Catherine Laura Dunn born 10-29-1955, married 12-8-1973 to Timothy

Peter Wise born 6-30-1956

Children:

Catherine Marie Wise born 7-12-1974

Jennifer Kaye Wise born 8-14-1977

Christopher Calvin Dunn born 3-3-1958, horse trainer, married Cindy Kelly (divorced)

David Orell Dunn born 3-10-1970

Ruby Edwards 2nd marriage 11-6-1982 to Edward E. McGee, piano Tech. & librarian

Ruby E McGee
112 Galloway St.
Gulfport, Ms. 39560
Phone (601) 868-6617

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C 41 Miss.

W. L. Edwards
Capt. Co. G, 41 Reg't Mississippi Vols.

Appears on
Company Muster Roll

of the organization named above,
for March & Apr, 1863.

Enlisted:
When Feb 20, 1863.

Where Meridian Miss

By whom Capt Tolson

Period 12 mo's

Last paid:
By whom Maj Peyton

To what time Aug 25, 1863.

Present or absent Present

Remarks:

Book mark:

J. W. Wilkinson
Copyist.

(Confederate.)
C 41 Miss.

William L Edwards
Capt. Co. G, 41 Reg't Mississippi Vols.

Appears on
Company Muster Roll

of the organization named above,
for July & Aug, 1863.

Enlisted:
When Feb 20, 1863.

Where Meridian Miss

By whom Capt Tolson

Period 12 mo's

Last paid:
By whom Capt Smith

To what time June 30, 1863.

Present or absent Present

Remarks: Re-enlisted Apr 14
1862 for bal of 3 yrs or war

Book mark:

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(Confederate.)
C 41

William L. Edwards
Capt. Co. G, 41 Reg't Mi

Appears on
Company Muster Ro

of the organization named above,
for Sept & Oct

Enlisted:
When Feb 20

Where Meridian

By whom Capt Tolson

Period 12 mo's

Last paid:
By whom Maj Gor

To what time Aug 3

Bounty: Paid, \$ 50, 1863; due, \$

Present or absent Present

Remarks:

Book mark:

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E 41 Miss.
William L. Edwards
Pvt. G, Co. G, 41 Reg't Mississippi Vols.
Appears on
Company Muster Roll
of the organization named above,
for Sept & Oct, 1863
Enlisted:
When Feb 20, 1862
Where Meridian Miss
By whom Capt Tolson
Period 12 mos
Last paid:
By whom Maj Goran
To what time Aug 31, 1863
Bounty: Paid, \$ 50 100; due, \$ 100
Present or absent Present
Remarks:
Book mark:
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E 41 Miss.
William L. Edwards
Pvt. G, Co. G, 41 Reg't Mississippi Vols.
Appears on
Company Muster Roll
of the organization named above,
for Nov & Dec, 1863
Enlisted:
When Feb 20, 1862
Where Meridian Miss
By whom Capt Tolson
Period 12 mos
Last paid:
By whom Capt Lockhart
To what time Oct 31, 1863
Present or absent Absent
Remarks: Missing since
battle of Missionary
Ridge Nov 25, 1863.
No since heard from
Book mark:
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E 41 Miss.
William L. Edwards
Pvt. G, Co. G, 41 Reg't Mississippi Vols.
Appears on
Company Muster Roll
of the organization named above,
for Jan
Enlisted:
When Feb
Where Meridian Miss
By whom Capt Tolson
Period 12 mos
Last paid:
By whom Capt Lockhart
To what time Oct 31, 1863
Present or absent Absent
Remarks: Missing since
battle of Missionary
Ridge Nov 25, 1863.
No since heard from
Book mark:
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E 41 Miss.

Wm L. Edwards
Priv., Co. G, 41 Reg't Mississippi Vols.

Appears on
Company Muster Roll
of the organization named above,
for *Jan & Feb*, 1864.

Enlisted:
When *Feb 20*, 1864.
Where *Meridian Miss*
By whom *Capt Tolson*
Period *12 mos*

Last paid:
By whom *Capt Lockhart*
To what time *Oct 31*, 1864.

Present or absent *Absent*

Remarks: *Missing since battle of Missionary Ridge Nov 25, 1863. Not since heard from*

Book mark:
J. N. Wilkinson
Copyist.

E 41 Miss.

Wm L. Edwards
Priv., Co. G, 41 Mississippi Regiment.

Appears on a
Muster Roll
of the organization named above, April 1, 1864.
Roll dated *Mar Dalton Ga*
Apr 1, 1864.

Enlisted:
When *Feb 20*, 1864.
Where *Meridian Miss*
By whom *Capt Tolson*
Period *3 yrs*

Present or absent *Absent*

Remarks: *Captured at Missionary Ridge Nov 25, 1863*

Book mark:
J. N. Wilkinson
Copyist.

E 41 Miss.

W L
Priv., Co. E

Appears on
Company
of the organization named above,
for *Mar*

Enlisted:
When *Feb*
Where *Mer*
By whom *Capt*
Period *1*

Last paid:
By whom *Capt*
To what time *1*

Present or absent *1*

Remarks: *Missing since battle of Missionary Ridge Nov 25, 1863*

Book mark:
J. N.
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iss. *E* 41 Miss.
ment. *N. L. Edwards*
1864. *Pvt. Co. E, 41 Reg't Mississippi Vols.*
1864. *for Mch & Apr, 1864.*
1864. *Enlisted: Feb 20, 1864.*
1864. *When: Feb 20, 1864.*
1864. *Where: Meridian Miss.*
1864. *By whom: Capt Tolson*
1864. *Period: 12 mos*
1864. *Last paid: Capt Lockhart*
1864. *By whom: Capt Lockhart*
1864. *To what time: Oct 31, 1864.*
1864. *Present or absent: Absent*
1864. *Remarks: Missing since*
1864. *Battle of Missionary*
1864. *Ridge Apr 25, 1864.*
1864. *Not since heard from*
Book mark: *J. W. McKinnon*
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(Confederate.) *E* 41 Miss.
ment. *N. L. Edwards*
1864. *Pvt. Co. E, 41 Reg't Mississippi Vols.*
1864. *for May to Aug 31, 1864.*
1864. *Enlisted: Feb 20, 1864.*
1864. *When: Feb 20, 1864.*
1864. *Where: Meridian Miss.*
1864. *By whom: Capt Tolson*
1864. *Period: 3 mos*
1864. *Last paid: Capt Lockhart*
1864. *By whom: Capt Lockhart*
1864. *To what time: Oct 31, 1864.*
1864. *Present or absent: Absent*
1864. *Remarks: Missing since*
1864. *Battle of Missionary*
1864. *Ridge Apr 25, 1864.*
1864. *Not since heard from*
Book mark: *J. W. McKinnon*
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ment. *N. L. Edwards*
1864. *Pvt. Co. E, 41 Reg't Mississippi Vols.*
1864. *for May to Aug 31, 1864.*
1864. *Enlisted: Feb 20, 1864.*
1864. *When: Feb 20, 1864.*
1864. *Where: Meridian Miss.*
1864. *By whom: Capt Tolson*
1864. *Period: 3 mos*
1864. *Last paid: Capt Lockhart*
1864. *By whom: Capt Lockhart*
1864. *To what time: Oct 31, 1864.*
1864. *Present or absent: Absent*
1864. *Remarks: Missing since*
1864. *Battle of Missionary*
1864. *Ridge Apr 25, 1864.*
1864. *Not since heard from*
Book mark: *J. W. McKinnon*
(642) Copyist.

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(Confederate.)

6 41 Miss

Wm L. Edwards
Priv. Sec. 41 Regt. Miss Inf.

Appears on a register of
Prisoners of War,
Department of the Cumberland.

When captured Nov 25, 1863.

Where captured Missionary Ridge, Tenn.

By whom captured

When paroled, 186

To what point forwarded Louisville Ky.

Dec 7, 1863

Remarks: For exchange

Dept. of the Cumberland, Reg. No. 2; page 67
(Hd. Qrs. Prov. Mar. General, Nashville, Tenn.)

G. B. West
(259) Copyist.

(Confederate.)

6 41 Miss

Wm L. Edwards
Priv. Sec. 41 Regt. Miss Inf.

Appears on a
Roll of Prisoners of War
captured by Forces under command of Maj. Gen.
Thomas, comdg. Dept. Cumberland; and for-
warded to Capt. S. E. Jones, Provost Marshal,
Louisville, Ky., Dec. 6, 1863.*

Roll dated Headquarters Dept. Cumberland, Office
Provost Marshal Gen'l, Nashville, Dec. 6,
1863.

Where captured Miss. Ridge

When captured Nov 25, 1863

Remarks:

*Indorsement on roll shows: "Roll of Prisoners of War for-
warded from Nashville, Tenn., to Louisville, Ky., Dec. 6, 1863."

Hd. Qrs. Prov. Mar. Gen'l, Dept. of the Cumb'd,
Nashville, Tenn.; Roll No. 144; sheet 4

P. M. Ward
(3298) Copyist.

(Confederate.)

6 41

Wm L. Edwards
Priv. Sec. 41 Regt. Miss Inf.

Appears on a Register of
Prisoners of
received at Military Prison,

Where captured Miss. Ridge

When captured

Discharged: Rock

Terms

When

Remarks:

Louisville, Ky., Register I

(3299)

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E 1 41 Miss
M. L. Edwards
Pvt 859 41 Regt Miss Inf
Appears on a Register of
Prisoners of War
received at Military Prison, Louisville, Ky.
Where captured Missionary Ridge
When captured Nov 25, 1863.
Discharged: Rock Island
Terms Dec 8
When Dec 8, 1863.

Remarks:

Louisville, Ky., Register No. 2; page 56

M. L. Edwards
Copyist.

(Confederate.)
E 1 41 Miss
Wm L Edwards
Pvt 859 41 Regt Miss Inf
Appears on a roll of
Prisoners of War
at Military Prison, Louisville, Ky.
When received Dec 7, 1863.
Where captured Missionary Ridge
When captured Nov 25, 1863.
When discharged Dec 8, 1863.
Remarks, charges, &c. Rock Island

Louisville, Ky., Register No. 5; page 3

F. A. Fowler
Copyist.

E 1
Wm L Edwards
Pvt 859 41 Regt Miss Inf
Appears on a
Roll of
received at Louisville
Nash
Roll dated Headquarters
Dec
Where captured Rock Island
When captured
Remarks:

Number of roll:
Sheet 5
J. N.
(1896)

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E | 41 | Miss
W. L. Edwards
Pvt. Co. G. 41 Regt. Miss
Appears on a
Roll of Prisoners of War
received at Louisville, Ky., Dec. 7, 1863, from
Nashville, Tenn.
Roll dated Headquarters Dist. of Ky., Louisville,
Dec. 7, 1863.
Where captured Miss Ridge
When captured Nov 25, 1863.
Remarks:
Number of roll:
Sheet 5
S. N. Hammon
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(Confederate.)
E | 41 | Miss
W. L. Edwards
Pvt. Co. G. 41 Regt. Miss
Appears on a
Roll of Prisoners of War
forwarded from Louisville, Ky., to Rock Island,
Ill., Dec. 8, 1863.
Roll dated Headquarters District of Kentucky,
Louisville, Dec. 8, 1863.
Where captured Miss Ridge
When captured Nov 25, 1863
Remarks:
Number of roll:
Sheet 3
S. N. Hammon
Copyright

(Confederate.)
E | 41 | Miss
W. L. Edwards
Pvt. Co. G. 41 Regt. Miss
Appears on a
Roll of Prisoners of War
forwarded from Louisville, Ky., to Rock Island,
Ill., Dec. 8, 1863.
Roll dated Headquarters District of Kentucky,
Louisville, Dec. 8, 1863.
Where captured Miss Ridge
When captured Nov 25, 1863
Remarks:
Number of roll:
Sheet 3
S. N. Hammon
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(Confederate.)

E 41 Miss

Wm L Edwards

Co G, 41 Regt Miss Inf

Appears on a

Roll of Prisoners of War

at Rock Island Barracks, Ill., received from Louisville, Ky.

Roll dated Rock Island Barracks, Ill., Dec. 25, 1863.

Where captured Mississippi Ridge

When captured Jan 25, 1863.

Remarks: Entered Dec 11, 1863

Number of rolls: 32

(689b) J. M. McIntosh

Copyright

(Confederate.)

E 41 Miss

Wm L Edwards

Co G, 41 Regt Miss Inf

Appears on a

Roll of Prisoners of War

at Rock Island Barracks, Ill., transferred to New Orleans for exchange May 3, 1865.

Roll dated Headquarters Rock Island Barracks, Ill., May 3, 1865.

Where captured Mississippi Ridge

When captured Nov 25, 1863.

Remarks:

Number of rolls: 124

(689b) B. L. Patterson

Copyright

(Confederate.)

E 41 Miss

Wm L Edwards

Co G, 41 Regt Miss Inf

Appears on a register

Prison

at New Orleans, La.

Where captured Miss

When captured

When confined 7

Where confined Miss

Transferred:

Where Trans. Can.

When 7

Exchanged Miss

Released

Died

Remarks:

New Orleans, La., Reg

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(Confederate.)
E. L. Edwards
Appears on a register of
Prisoners of War
at New Orleans, La.
Where captured *Maxim Ridge Tenn.*
When captured *Nov. 25*, 1863.
When confined *May 17*, 1865.
Where confined *New Orleans, La.*
Transferred:
Where *Ham Camp Douglas*
When *May 4*, 1865.
Exchanged *May 23*, 1865.
Released _____, 1865.
Died _____, 1865.
Remarks:

New Orleans, La., Register No. 1; page 61

W. W. Hill
Copyright.

(Confederate.)
C. L. Edwards
Appears on a
Roll of Prisoners of War
transferred to the Commissioner for Exchange,
May 23, 1865, from New Orleans, La., by
order of Maj. Genl. E. R. S. Canby.
Roll dated *not dated*, 1865.
Where captured *Maxim Ridge Tenn.*
When captured *Nov. 25*, 1863.
Remarks:

Number of roll:
1, sheet 4
(639b) L. C. F. H. L.
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Exchange,
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, 1863.

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Edwards, H. L.

Co. D, 41 Mississippi Inf

(Confederate.)

Private Private

CARD NUMBERS.

1	<i>27856848</i>	20
2	<i>6953</i>	21
3	<i>7032</i>	22
4	<i>7147</i>	23
5	<i>7228</i>	24
6	<i>7344</i>	25
7	<i>7381</i>	26
8	<i>7488</i>	27
9	<i>6370</i>	28
10		29
11		30
12		31
13		32
14		33
15		34
16		35
17		36
18		37
19		38

Number of medical cards herein *0*

Number of personal papers herein *10*

Book Mark:

See also:

*This
Mississippi
S. O. No.
21, 1862

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E 41 Miss.
N. L. Edwards
Pvt (New) Company A.
41 Reg't Mississippi Volunteers.*
Appears on
Company Muster Roll
of the organization named above,
for Feb'y 28 to June 30, 1862.
Enlisted:
When Feb'y 14, 1862.
Where Mobile, Ala.
By whom L. Hodges
Period 1 yr.
Last paid:
By whom C. H. Williams
To what time Feb'y 28, 1862.
Present or absent Present
Remarks:
*This company was formerly Company C, 5th Battalion Mississippi Infantry. It was transferred to this regiment by U. O. No. 16, Headquarters Army of Mississippi, dated May 21, 1862.
Book mark:
S. A. Boyd
642 Copyist.

(Confederate.)
E 41 Miss.
N. L. Edwards
Pvt (New) Company A.
41 Reg't Mississippi Volunteers.
Appears on
Company Muster Roll*
of the organization named above,
for June 30 to Oct. 31, 1862.
Enlisted:
When Feb 14, 1862.
Where Mobile, Ala.
By whom L. Hodges
Period 1 yr.
Last paid:
By whom Lt. Lincannon
To what time Apl. 30, 1862.
Bounty
Present or absent Present
Remarks:
*From copy (made in the M. S. Office, War Department, in September, 1860) of an original record borrowed from the Director of Archives and History, Jackson, Miss. - M. S. 162334.
Book mark:
S. A. Boyd
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E 41
N. L. Edwards
Pvt
Appears on
of the org.
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Enlisted:
When
Where
By whom
Period
Last paid:
By whom
To what time
Bounty: Paid
Present or absent
Remarks:
Book mark:
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(Confederate.)
E 41 Miss.
W. L. Edwards
Cpt. { (New) Co. A,
41 Reg't Mississippi Volunteers.
Appears on
Company Muster Roll
of the organization named above,
for Nov. & Dec., 1862.
Enlisted:
When Feb. 14, 1862.
Where Mobile
By whom L. Hodges
Period 1 Yr.
Last paid:
By whom J. Kincaid
To what time Aug. 31, 1862.
Bounty: Paid, \$ 100; due, \$ 50 00
Present or absent Present
Remarks:
Book mark:
S. Bayd
(542) Copyist

(Confederate.)
E 41 Miss.
W. L. Edwards
Cpt. { (New) Company A,
41 Reg't Mississippi Volunteers.
Appears on
Company Muster Roll
of the organization named above,
for Jan'y & Feb'y, 1863.
Enlisted:
When Feb'y 14, 1862.
Where Mobile, Ala.
By whom L. Hodges
Period Nov
Last paid:
By whom J. S. Kincaid
To what time Dec. 31, 1862.
Present or absent Present
Remarks:
Book mark:
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(Confederate.)
E 41 Miss.
W. L. Edwards
Cpt. { (New) Company A,
41 Reg't Mississippi Volunteers.
Appears on
Company Muster Roll
of the organization named above,
for March 9, 1863.
Enlisted:
When Feb. 14, 1862.
Where Mobile, Ala.
By whom L. Hodges
Period Nov
Last paid:
By whom J. S. Kincaid
To what time Dec. 31, 1862.
Present or absent Present
Remarks:
Book mark:
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41 Miss.

W. L. Edwards
Capt. (New) Company 41, Reg't Mississippi Volunteers.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

of the organization named above,
for *March 9 April*, 1863.

Enlisted:
When *Feb. 14*, 1862.

Where *Mobile Ala.*

By whom *L. Hodges*

Period *War*

Last paid:

By whom *Maj. Peyton*

To what time *Feb. 28*, 1863.

Present or absent *Present*

Remarks:

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41 Miss.

W. L. Edwards
Capt. (New) Company 41, Reg't Mississippi Volunteers.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

of the organization named above,
for *July & Aug*, 1863.

Enlisted:
When *Feb. 14*, 1862.

Where *Mobile, Ala.*

By whom *L. Hodges*

Period *1 yr.*

Last paid:

By whom *J. T. Smith*

To what time *June 30*, 1863.

Present or absent *Absent*

Remarks: *Purloined from*

hospital Aug. 16, 1863

for 30 days

Retained by conscript

act.

Book mark:

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Confederate.
41 Miss.

W. L. Edwards
Capt. (New) Company 41, Reg't Mississippi Volunteers.

Appears on

Company

of the organization named above,
for *Sept*

Enlisted:
When *Feb. 14*, 1862.

Where *Mobile*

By whom *L. Hodges*

Period *1 yr.*

Last paid:

By whom *J. T. Smith*

To what time *June 30*, 1863.

Present or absent *Absent*

Remarks: *Purloined from*

hospital Aug. 16, 1863

for 30 days

Retained by conscript

act.

Book mark:

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E 41 Miss.

W. L. Edwards
Pvt. (New Company A,
41 Reg't Mississippi Volunteers.

Appears on
Company Muster Roll
of the organization named above,
for Sept & Oct, 1863.

Enlisted:
When Feb'y 14, 1862.
Where Mobile, Ala.
By whom L. Hodges
Period 1 yr

Last paid:
By whom J. T. Smith
To what time June 30, 1863.

Present or absent Absent
Remarks: Discharged from
hospital Aug. 5, 1863 for
30 days. Not yet able
for duty. Retained by
Conscript Act.

Book mark:
J. A. Boyd
(642) Copyist.

(Confederate.)
E 41 Miss.

W. L. Edwards
Pvt. (New Company A,
41 Reg't Mississippi Volunteers.

Appears on
Company Muster Roll
of the organization named above,
for Nov. & Dec., 1863.

Enlisted:
When Feb'y 14, 1862.
Where Mobile, Ala.
By whom L. Hodges
Period 1 yr

Last paid:
By whom J. T. Smith
To what time June 30, 1863.

Present or absent
Remarks: Killed at Mission-
ary Ridge, Nov. 25, 1863.
Reenlisted April 14, 1862
for 3 yrs. from enlistment.

Book mark:
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(642) Copyist.

E 41 Miss.

W. L. Edwards
Pvt. (New Company A,
41 Reg't Mississippi Volunteers.

Appears on a
of killed and wound
List dated N

Place wounded L
Character of wound
Slightly
Date

Remarks: In front of

Book mark:
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Appears on a	List	of Payment	
of killed, wounded and missing, in		Period of	
Chalmer's Brigade, in the battles		From	
before Murfreesboro, Tenn., Dec. 28,		To	
1862 to Jan. 3, 1863.		When paid	
List dated Camp near Shelbyville		By whom	
Jan 21, 1863.		Amount	
Remarks:		Remarks:	
Wounded slightly			
At what time Jan 3, 1863			
In what part of field in woods in			
front 2nd line breastworks			
Remarks:			
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(CONFEDERATE.)
E 41 Miss
W. L. Edwards
Pvt Co G, 41st Regt Miss

Appears on a

Register

of Payments on Descriptive Lists.

Period of service:

From Mar 1, 1863.

To Apr 30, 1863.

When paid May 20, 1863.

By whom B. F. Bonar

Amount \$ 22

Remarks:

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(CONFEDERATE)
E 41 Miss

W. L. Edwards

Pvt Co G, 41st Miss Regt

Appears on a

REPORT

of persons, of the 2d Corps, Army of the Mississippi, who have lost arms, ammunition etc., called for by paragraph 3, of General Orders No. 62.

Roster dated

June 28, 1862.

Brigade 1st

Remarks: 1 Gun 1 Cart. Box
40 Cartgs.

Box 46
No. 6

Shepherd

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12/01/92

7:35 AM

TOPIC: GENEALOGY
RESOURCES
TIME: 11/30 11:02 PM

TO: PATRICIA EDWARDS (CHCT35B)
FROM: DONALD LOGAN (HHNV45A)
SUBJECT: MS-SOUTHEASTERN COS.

Pat:

Could you go to your files again and just look for "ANY COCHRANS" who may have lived in or around State Line Ms. or Alabama area about 1800-1825. One of my ggrandmothers was Mary Cochran who married Van Lofton (Loften) in Mobile. I am looking for her parents. Van and Mary were married in June 1833. Thanks ! Donald Logan..Long Beach, Ms.

PRODIGY(R) interactive personal service

12/01/92

11:33 AM

TOPIC: GENEALOGY
RESOURCES
TIME: 12/01 10:57 AM

TO: PATRICIA EDWARDS (CHCT35B)
FROM: MILDRED HILLS (WXDM35A)
SUBJECT: MS-PRE 1820 LISTS

Hi Pat:

I know how you feel about being lost on the boards now that there are so many. About Wm Wells, I don't have anydates I would like any info on Wells in Amite co to see if they may have been the families my ancestors served when they were enslaved. I have several lines that I am back to 1870 on and this is when I have to look at any possible papers that might name slaves. Also Pat, can you tell me the names of all the counties that you cover? I think I would like to move to MS since the more I search the more counties I have to cover. So far I am in Hinds, Madison, Rankins, Holmes, Washington, and Humphery?? not sure of this one. If you know of any books on Black cemeteries that have been printed please keep me in mind. Talk with you later, if I can find my notes(smile) I even forgot what I had posted on on the Afro-American board a few times. We have quite a bit of activity over there now, please stop and browse sometime.

Mildred

Afro family researcher!

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229 Andover Dr.
Savannah, Georgia
31405
10 March 1982

Mrs Patricia N. Edwards
1765 Silverado Trail
Napa, CA. 94558

Dear Mrs Edwards:

Thank you for your letter of 19 Jan. 1982 with regard to the Edwards Family and the ancestor chart of your husband. I also enjoyed your call of 1/18/1982. I am sorry I kept you on the phone so long. I have no excuse except that when I talk about my favorite hobby I lose track of time.

Your call and your letter made me dig into my Edwards file, once again. I have never been completely satisfied with the information I have on the Edwards family for the period of the Revolutionary War up to about 1830. I have asked myself many times why are there a number of William Edwards's in the Effingham County, Georgia, court records and yet only one in the 1820 Effingham County, Georgia Census Records. The first one is a deed record - (Deed Book "E" & "F" Page 39 Dated 20 Sept. 1802) - William Beal gives (Deed of Gift) land to his daughter Elizabeth Edwards and son-in-law William Edwards. There are a number of deeds between William and his wife Elizabeth Edwards and others up through 1829. There is ~~an~~ a William Edwards Will in the records. It was dated 30 Sept. 1833 and proved 4 Nov. 1833. He ~~did~~ did not name his wife in the Will, indicating that she may have died. (Note: The last of the recorded deeds were

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signed only by him and not jointly with his wife Elizabeth). He named "my two sons Beal and Obediah"; my daughter Chloe Downs and her oldest child Ann Elizabeth"; my two other grandchildren, daughters of my said daughter Chloe Downs, ~~is~~ namely, Catherine Caroline and Georgia Ann; Delorea Gracy; and "my other five daughters, namely, Gracy, Elizabeth, Ann, Dorcas, and Ruth". Witnesses John Dugger, Sr. and C. Powers"; Executors: sons Beal and Obediah". The 1820 Effingham Co., Ga. gave:

William Edwards

1- ^{white} Male 0 to 10 years

1- white Male 10 to 16 years

1- Free white Male 45 years and up

4- White Females 0 to 10 years

2- White Females 10 to 16 years

(2) Another William Edwards with wife Lorana - follows.

I have found 3 deeds dated 28 Jan. 1813, 2 Sept. 1815, and 21 April 1832. I have been able to research the files of Mrs Branch La Far, a noted ~~researcher~~ researcher in the 1920's, and earlier years. She has been d

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the various Court Houses in this area, interviewed many people about the Edwards and Pitts families and the Baptist Church. She was the author of a number of historical and genealogical books. She contributed articles to the Georgia Historical Magazine and the National Genealogical Society ^{Quarterly} ~~Magazine~~. In her file, I found a typed note on a small card which evidently had been sent her. It read;

"Henry E. Edwards & wife (from Augusta, Miss). Mr Edwards was born in the State of Georgia, County of Ettingham. His father, whose name was William went from S.C. to Georgia when he married his (Henry's) mother whose ^{maiden} name was Laiorana. He was born Jan. 17, 1822. He has no account of his grandfather on his father's side. He was about 13 when he came to his present home in Perry County, Mississippi; he is now 74. He married Mary Ann McLeod (or McLevel) in 1851, etc."

"Augusta, Miss."

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(3) William & Sabra Edwards

There are recorded deeds:

6 July 1821 - Name of William Edwards
& wife Sabra Edwards to
Cammel Tison

6 Jan. 1824 - Name of Sabria Edwards
(formerly Sabria Wheeler and administratrix of
Estate of James Wheeler) to Thomas
Crawford - (She mentions in deed her daughter
Nancy)

1 - May 1822 - John Ridgedale & wife
Mary to Cammel Tison - sells ^{land which} ~~part of~~
was part of Estate of James Wheeler, deceased.

(4) Deed dated 7 Jan. 1815. James Edwards
to William Edwards (I have found nothing more
on this James.)
~~~~~

My Ancestor, William Edwards,  
Revolutionary Soldier, born about ~~1740~~ 1741  
died "1833 in Effingham Co., Ga." [I question  
that he died in 1833 in Effingham Co. Ga.  
I believe he either died in North Carolina  
or South Carolina sometime before 1802]  
He married in 1761 Chloe Stokes, born  
about 1744 in South Carolina and died  
21 April 1818 in Effingham County, Georgia  
her tombstone was erected by one of her sons.

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sons, Rev. J. C. Edwards. It reads  
"Chloe Edwards  
Died  
at old age  
In hope of rest  
April 21, 1818."

They had:

1- Henry Edwards b. Dec. 20, 1762,  
d. Nov. 15, 1837 in Columbia County, Florida  
married Sarah (or Sirleto) Forsythe  
b. Aug. 28, 1759, d. \_\_\_\_\_. He may  
have married a second time in Florida.  
He, too, was a Revolutionary Soldier and  
there is some doubt as to whether he  
was a son as I ~~see~~ list him, or a brother  
of William Edwards, above.

2- William Edwards born <sup>about</sup> ~~ca~~  
1770 died 1833 married ~~on~~ <sup>a</sup> before  
December 18, 1798 Elizabeth Beall,  
daughter of William Beall, b. \_\_\_\_ d. \_\_\_\_.  
This William, I believe, was the William  
Edwards of the 1820 Effingham Census  
and the Will dated 30 Sept. 1833. (see  
above.)

3- Chloe Edwards born between 1774  
and 1790. (I have found very little actual proof  
about this one.)



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3. Obadiah Edwards born  
October 12, 1777 in North Carolina  
died October 14, 1857 in Effingham  
County, Ga. married in 1799  
Tabitha Pitts, born August 24,  
1782 in North Carolina, died October  
28, 1863 in Effingham County, Ga.  
She was the daughter of Captain  
John Pitts and Frances Griffin.  
Capt John Pitts was a Revolutionary Soldier.  
Frances Griffin was born Sept 9, 1756  
and died Dec 4, 1841. She married  
2<sup>nd</sup> John Marks. [These are my  
ancestors. ~~the~~ Many women have  
joined the ~~D.R.~~ Daughters of the American  
Revolution on this branch using  
either William Edwards or Capt. John  
Pitts as their ancestor. I feel that I  
have good proof on these lines. However  
I differ from DAR on the death of  
William Edwards. They give the William  
Edwards Will as proof of the death date  
1833 in Effingham Co. When we were  
visiting in Washington, D.C., I took this up  
with the then Historian General of D.A.R. Even  
though she agreed with me, she said so many  
women's records would have to be changed if she

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officially accepted the change that she would not attempt it since this change would not change the fact that William Edwards was a Revolutionary Soldier and not change the members right to belong to DAR.]

### Some Thoughts on the Above:

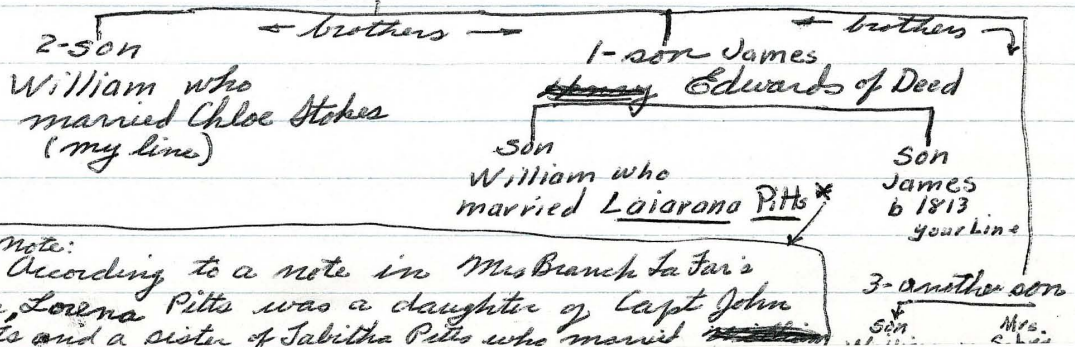
Why did a number of William Edwards's go to Effingham Co., Ga.?

Was not there some kin-ship involved?

One well known S.C. Genealogist once said "It never pays to decide anything in genealogy unless you have the legal data to back it ... often I think I have solved by presuming & by family tradition; - to later find I was entirely mistaken." This, I have found to be true. Let me add:

So if you will pardon some wild guesses, I would like to offer the following which may be correct but could be all wrong, and must be proved.

### Edwards



This letter is too long. Sorry!  
Sincerely, Lawrence M. Edwards



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HICKS - MORRIS - BRITTON/BRITTAIN - NASH - MACOLE of Ga., Car.,  
and Tenn.

12/22/69  
(1) My grandfather was WALTER THEODORE HICKS, son of MARCUS LAFAYETTE HICKS b-1846 Madisonville, Monroe Co. Tenn. m-1870 LIZZIE MORRIS 1848-1926 at Bowdon, Garroll Co, Ga. (near Newnan, Ga). M.D. HICKS d-1917 Newnan Ga.- Who were LIZZIE'S parents, gr.p. etc.? There were several Morris families in Carroll Co, but I can't seem to find mine.

(2) The above MARCUS LAFAYETTE HICKS was son of TOLBERT HICKS 1800-1870 of Madisonville, Monroe Co. Tenn. and COMFORT BRITTON 1795-1856 who was from N.C.-Who can tell me about her?

(3) TOLBERT HICKS is shown on my family chart as son of SHADRACK HICKS b-1771 possibly in Monroe Co. Tenn or N.C., and ELIZABETH NASH b- ? d-1852 Monroe Co. Tenn., but I have been told that he was the son of CHARLES HICKS and ? However, both were sons of JOHN HICKS and COMFORT MACOLE. (JOHN b-1750-ca 1830). Was he a Rev. Sold.? Does anyone know about ELIZ. NASH & COMFORT MACOLE ?

I have a seven generation chart of this family with hundreds of names. It follows the female lines too. Will be happy to share my Hickses of Tenn.

12/29/69  
BEAVERS - SIBERT - EDWARDS - COOK(KOCK) - LIGHTFOOT - WILMORE of Ga., Ala., S.C., & Va.

I think this is a marvelous story - Johannes Schweigert and Heinrich Hock/Kock were Hessian soldiers in the Rev. War. They were captured and given the choice of being shot or joining our side. As they were mercenaries and were fighting for money, not for the British, they didn't really care whose side they were on. Needless to say they didn't care to be shot, so they joined our side - stayed on after the war and became my 4th Gr.grf's ! Johannes Schweigert became JOHN DAVID SIBERT, M-MISS WILMORE of Va. and settled in Abbeville Dist. S.C. He is listed as JOHN SEBERT Rev. Sol. of Ga. - HEINRICH HOCK/KOCK became HENRY PHILIP COOK, m-MARGARET SUSANNA LIGHTFOOT of Va. and also settled in Abbeville Dist. S.C. In 1820 young David Sibert married ELIZABETH COOK, moved to Keener, Ala. and started a family that eventually produced Maj. Gen. Wm. Luther Sibert (West Point 1884) world famous engineer who, among other things, built the Locks on the Panama Canal and excavated one portion of it. MISS WILMORE'S name is reputed to have been MAHALA or something similar. Daughter of John Wilmore of Va. Has anyone any info on this? Who were parents of MARGARTE SUSANNAH LIGHT-

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FOOT ? The S.C.Hist. Mag. has an article on Henrick Hock/Kock.  
I would gladly pay for a photostat of it as his papers have  
been lost from his pension application. HENRY SIBERT of Collins-  
ville Ala. 1793-1873 m-Dorcas Edwards 1821-1901. Anything on  
Dorsas ?

I have a 5 generation book on the Sibert / Cook families and  
will share information.

Oh - skipped one -Fadeva Italy Sibert 1847-1918 m-1867 Asbury  
Woodville Beaver 1846-1910 Collinsville, Ala. The 1850 Ala.  
Census shows his father was Allen Beavers b-1816 in Ga., wife  
Sarah b-1818 Ga. Who were their parents, etc.?

I know that all of these can't go in at one time, so tried to  
combine them in related units.

Enclosing \$8.50 For #26 Family Puzzlers 1968 when it comes out.

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From: BOBBY STRINGER (VSXN09D)  
Subject: MS-WAR OF 1812 #14  
Sent on: 08/16 at 02:46 PM

*Edwards*

Pat:

Jaquiman is a last name (French). I came across it in my genealogy.  
If "Jaquiman" is the same as "Chapman", that would solve a puzzle in  
my lineage.

Thanks. Wilda vsxn09d

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08/17/92

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TOPIC: HOMELIFE  
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TIME: 08/17 8:16 PM

TO: PATRICIA EDWARDS (CHCT35B)  
FROM: MARGE MOTES (KDNK68A)  
SUBJECT: PITTS

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In the Index I have the following Edwards:

Abraham  
Anne  
Nath'l  
Obadian

"This was copied from a book in the Carnegie Library  
Dallas, Texas. family of Robert Owen of Bristol, merchant  
5 Sept. 1616 ...listed William Pitt, merchant Brother in  
Law.

Marv Pitt Bristol widow 8 June 1634 or. Nov 25 1634. brother  
in law Abraham Edwards Daughter. Anne Edwards.

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America

Walter Pitts to Nath'l Edwards p. 339 year 1755 of Edgecombe  
Co., N.C. of Brunswick Co., Va. on north side of fishing  
creek deed bk IV. [we have it in deed book 2 not 4.]  
Tabitha Pitts b. 1782 died 1863 in Ga. married in 1799 to  
Obadiah Edwards b. 1777 & d. 1857.  
This information is taken from several different sources  
-letters, etc. in the Pitts genealogy. Hope this will help  
Marge

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READ A MESSAGE

08/21/92

Friday, November 7, 1986

Mississippi Press—11A

## Daughter searches for dad

To the Editor:

This is a daughter's plea and prayer.

I am 42 years old and have never laid eyes upon my real father's face. I understand that he and my mother were married in 1942 in the state of Alabama, even though he was from Carthage, Miss., and stationed in Selma, Ala.; and was raised by an only living relative (a sister) who died while he was held prisoner in the Army Air Force brig — and wasn't allowed to attend her funeral.

I don't really know that much to tell about my father, as the only picture I had of him in military uniform was lost in Hurricane Camille in 1969. He was 6'2" tall, 27 years of age at the time of my birth in 1944.

He was sandy blond haired, green-eyed, with a slight overbite, and last seen by my grandmother, Suzie Hall two weeks before I was born.

Why and what the story is behind his never returning has been a mystery to me. I have begged and pleaded with the Social Security board and the Army Air Force (now divided) to help me find him. I've been told stories by my family of his goodness and of his "bastardly" ways, but this hasn't deterred me from wanting to find him and at least say to him, "I love you, daddy."

I've even written to Dear Abby, with no response. I've never known a real father's love, and can't explain why I am so obsessed to find him. Recently I talked to a psychic and I told her that sometime in the early '60s I was told my father was killed in a head-on collision (two trucks) and was pressured into forgetting my obsession to find him. Anyway, this psychic told me to check between Carthage, Miss., and Memphis, Tenn. that my father is alive, not dead.

His name is Thurman Chadwick (T.C.) Edwards. In 1944, when I was born, he was stationed at Craig Field AFB in Selma, Ala., 27 years old, green-eyed, 6'2" tall, sandy blond hair, slight overbite. He should be around 69 or 70 years old now!

Please, I'm begging you readers, if there is anyone out there that knows my father or of his whereabouts, or if you're reading this yourself, daddy — please contact me. I love you. They say I should have been a boy 'cause I'm exactly like you — only I'm 5' tall.

And you'd be awfully proud of your 25-year-old grandson. We both want you to know us too. I was born July 13, 1944, at Craig Field AFB and my son was born April 2, 1961, in Mobile, Ala.

Pearly Edwards  
2521 Lamplighters Lane  
Gautier, Miss.



## Pierce- Edwards

WADE — Tiffany Pierce of Wade and Joseph Boyd Edwards of Ocean Springs were married Dec. 7, 1991 at Caswell Springs Methodist Church. The Rev. James A. Pierce Sr., grandfather of the bride, officiated at the double ring, candlelight ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Pierce Jr. of Wade. The bridegroom's parents are Floyd G. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Alan (Rebecca) Merrill, all of Ocean Springs.

Leslie Williams of Coden, Ala. attended her cousin as maid of honor. Bridesmaid was Mrs. Steven (Rhonda) Brian of Helena. Flower girl was Amber Blackledge of Wade, cousin of the bride.

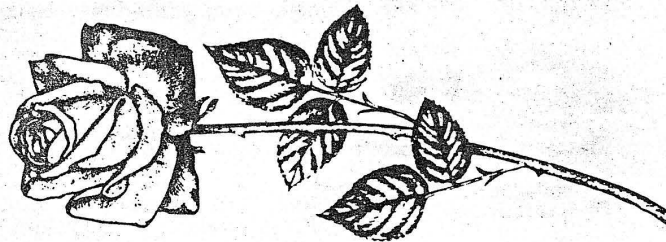
Troy Joe Byrd of Lucedale served his nephew as best man. Groomsman was David St. Amant of Ocean Springs. Ring bearer was Douglas Merrill of



Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Edwards

Ocean Springs, brother of the bridegroom.

A reception followed in the church fellowship hall. After a wedding trip to Biloxi, the couple is at home in Ocean Springs.



Gulf Islands Water Park in Gulfport, which opened in 1964.

## ANNIVERSARIES

### Edwards couple celebrates 70th wedding anniversary

PASCAGOULA — Mr. and Mrs. Howard Edwards of Pascagoula celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary April 27, 2005.

Mr. Edwards took the former Audrey Jordan April 27, 1935, in Richton.

They have two daughters, Shelby Edwards Brunt of Pascagoula and Carolyn Edwards Blue of Foley, Ala. They have six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

During their years in Richton, the couple was members of Richton Baptist Church and Mr. Edwards was employed by his stepfather, Micage Meadows, and worked in the building industry.

They moved to Petal, Miss., in 1951 where Mr. Edwards was self-employed as a building contractor until his retirement in 1971.

Mrs. Edwards entered Jones Junior College and earned her degree as a licensed practical nurse. After five years employment at Forrest General Hospital in Hattiesburg, she continued her education and earned a registered nurse degree. She continued to work at Forrest General, as head nurse on the orthopedics floor until her retirement in 1977.

While living in Petal, the couple became active members of the Cartersville Baptist Church and Mr. Edwards served as the chairman of the property committee where he was responsible for supervision of the church grounds. In addition, he freely volunteered two or three days each week for work done at the church and to others in need within the community.



Mr. and Mrs. Edwards,  
now



Mr. and Mrs. Edwards,  
then

The Rev. Leland Hogan of Cartersville Baptist Church said Mr. Edwards is an example of ministering where there is a need.

"When Howard Edwards retired, he really went to work," Hogan said.

The Edwards moved to Pascagoula in 1996 and are members of Arlington Heights Baptist Church.



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## FACES OF THE COAST



William Colgin/The Mississippi Press

### Renather Edwards

**R**enather Edwards is a first-step teacher with the Jackson County Head Start Program in Moss Point. She has been teaching for six years in the program and works with the 3- and 4-year-old students. Renather gets her students ready for public

school attendance by teaching them the fundamentals of reading, writing, math and science. "Teaching is my life. I love it," she said. Renather is originally from Walnut Grove, Miss., but grew up in Moss Point and has lived in Gautier for the past

six years. When she's not teaching, Renather enjoys gardening and sewing. Renather said that family is very important to her and that she enjoys being able to spend time with her husband, Vincent Edwards, and her son and three grandchildren.

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**Lucille White Edwards**, 89, of Biloxi died Friday, Feb. 15, 2002, in Gulfport. She was born in Bayou La Batre, Ala., and was a resident of Pascagoula where she worked at City Hall in the Gas Department until her retirement in 1963. She then moved to Woolmarket where she was a Sunday School teacher and a founding member of the Woolmarket Garden Club. She came from a pioneering family, her grandfather founded Bayou La Batre. She was a member of the Order of the Easter Star and Coalville United Methodist Church, where she was a member of the United Methodist Women. She was deeply loved and will be passionately missed by the family and her constant companion, Magic, her cat. The family would like to especially thank the residents and staff of Lakeview Nursing Center and a very special thank you to Dr. Greg Randolph.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Henry Edwards; a sister, Noralie Hill; and three brother, Mill White, Jess White and Cecil White.

Mrs. Edwards is survived by a daughter, Linda Bridges and her husband Ralph of Biloxi; three grandchildren, John Gatlin Jr., and his wife Cheryl of Biloxi, Kristina Sekul Woods of Biloxi and Sundi Sekul Fortenberry and her husband Damon of Mandeville, La.; and three

tord-O'Keefe Funeral Home in Gulfport. Services will be held Monday, Feb. 18, at 11 a.m. at Coalville United Methodist Church where friends may visit one hour prior to services. The family prefers memorials to Coalville United Methodist Church, 12556 Lorraine Road, Biloxi, Miss., 39530.

Arrangements by Bradford-O'Keefe Funeral Home, Gulfport, Miss.



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**EDWARDS, ELISHA MARSHALL**

Mr. Elisha Marshall (Kidd) Edwards—Born March 15, 1905. A native of Jackson County, FL and a resident of Prichard for a number of years. He was adopted by the late Mr. and Mrs. Verge (Ange) Edwards, Cottondale, FL. Passed in a local hospital on Wednesday, December 26, 1990. He leaves to cherish his memory a very devoted daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Emma (Tom) George; three step-daughters, Mrs. Annie R. Lovett, Pensacola, FL, Mrs. Louise B. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Ethel (Willie) Jackson; one son, Randy Edwards; one step-son, Frank Lofton, all of Prichard, AL; a devoted grand daughter, Mary H. Thomas, Wildwood, FL; three great grand daughters, Greta M. Thomas, Reba Salter and Ebony Moore; two special great grandsons, Mr. and Mrs. Leon (Nina) Thomas, Prichard, AL and Mr. Anthony Thomas of the USS Navy; a devoted adopted grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy (Sharon) Tate; niece, Sylvia Yon; nephew, Wayne Yon both of Cottondale, FL; god daughter Bettye Mitchell, Whistler, AL; special friends, Mrs. Charlotte Williams, Miss Lillie Irby, Mr. and Mrs. Joe (Onnie) Logan, Mobile, AL, Mr. Isaac Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. James (Lois) Stewart, Deacon E.L. York and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hudson, Mrs. Althera Spirey all of Prichard, AL; other relatives and friends. Visitation will be held from the St. Joseph Baptist Church (703 Hobbs Ave) on Friday, January 4, 1991 after 5 PM. Funeral services will be held the same evening at 7 PM with Rev. C.L. Manzie officiating minister. Interment will follow in the Prichard Memorial Cemetery on Saturday, January 5, 1991 at 10 AM. Arrangements by Reese Funeral Home, 925 Bessemer Ave. Prichard, AL. Police Escort for funerals.

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